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Tantah ... DEP.	8.59	10.59	p.m. 1.22	2.35	2.15	5.34	6. 7	8.04	a.m. 2.13
Alexandria ARR.	11.00	p.m. 12.55	3.5	5.50	4.25	7.35	7.50	10. 0	6. 0
Alexandria ... ... DEP.		a.m. 7.0	a.m. 9. 0	a.m. 10.30	noon ‡12.0	p.m. 3.40	p.m. 4.25	p.m. †6. 0	p.m. 11.30§
Tantah ... ... DEP.		9.0	10.55	p.m. 12.40	p.m. 1.47	5.46	6.11	7.55	a.m. 3.24
Cairo ... ... ARR.		10.25	pm 12.0.	—	3. 5	7.10	7.25	9.20	6. 0

Cairo ... ... DEP.	a.m. 7.0	‡11.0†	†6.15	Suez (Rue Colmar) DEP.	a.m. 7.50		†6.0
Port Said ... ... ARR.	p.m. 12. 5	p.m. 3.30	11. 0	Port Said ... DEP.	8.10	p.m. †12.30	8.45‡
Suez (Rue Colmar) ARR.	—	4.3	11.23	Cairo ... ... ARR.	p.m. 1.25	5. 0	11.25

Cairo ... ... DEP.	a.m. 7.45	a.m. 11.25	p.m. 2.40	p.m. 5.40	Zagazig DEP.	a.m. 6. 0	a.m. 8.45	a.m. 11.50	p.m. 5.20
Zagazig ... ARR. (Via Belbeis)	9.44	p.m. 1.27	4.45	7.42	Cairo. ARR (Via Belbeis)	8. 0	10.50	p.m. 1.55	8.20

Cairo... ... DEP.	a.m. 8.30	p.m. 6.30	p.m. 8 0	p.m. 9.30	Luxor ... ... DEP.	a.m. 7.0	p.m. 3.0	p.m. 5.30	p.m. 6.30
Wasta.. ... ARR.	9.51	8. 0	9.21	10.51	Wasta ... ... ARR.	p.m. 7.10	a.m. 4.30	a.m. 5.29	6.33
Luxor.. ... ARR	p.m. 10.40	a.m. 8.35	a.m. 9.30	1.20	Cairo.. ... ... ARR.	8.45	6.5	7.5	8. 0

Luxor ... ... DEP.	a.m. 6.20	a.m.† 10.30	Assuan ... ... DEP.	a.m. 5.50	a.m.† 10.15
Assuan ... ... ARR.	p.m. 3 30	p.m. 5.0	Luxor ... ... ARR	p.m. 2.35	p.m. 4.45

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EGYPTIAN MUMMIES ABOUT 1100 B.C.

In the last published report of l'Institut Egyptien, says "The Lancet," there are two papers by medical men worthy of attention. The institute was founded in 1859 to carry on the literary and scientific work for which l'Institut d'Egypte was originally created by Napoleon and his famous group of men of science during the French occupation of Egypt. Until about ten years ago Englishmen were very rarely admitted to the honour of membership for, in spite of the red coats at headquarters, France still remained in jealously guarded, intellectual occupation of Egypt. Now matters have somewhat changed and no less than eight English names appear in the list of active members, the number of which is strictly limited to 50. To the report under notice Dr. Bay contributes a paper on the electric phenomena that accompany the "khamsin" wind which in Arabia and Syria is called the "simoom" and bears the name of "sirocco" in Algiers and Sicily. The wind blows intermittently from the south during a period of about 50 days in March, April, and May. The heated air comes straight from the desert charged with very fine dust and sand, obscuring the sun and compelling people to shut up their houses as far as possible. The phenomenon usually lasts only three days, of which the second is the most trying and reminds those exposed to it of the sensation of standing near a furnace. During the khamsin the earth, charged with negative electricity, holds in equilibrium the positive electricity of the atmosphere until at the close of the phenomenon, generally accompanied by a few drops or showers of rain, the electricity is changed, the air becoming negative and the ground positive. Meanwhile accidents sometimes occur to the large machines which have recently been constructed for supplying electric light. Dr. G. Elliot Smith has been working for three years at the investigation of embalming in the twenty-first dynasty, having been presented with 44 mummies of that period for the anatomical department of the Egyptian School of Medicine at Cairo. These mummies were found at Deir el Bahari in 1891. In spite of many authors, and more conjectures, nobody knows exactly when the ancient practice of embalming began. In pre-historic days, more than 7,000 years ago, the inhabitants of Upper Egypt exposed their dead to a sun-drying process which has preserved them until to-day. It is suggested that so long ago as the fifth dynasty the pyramid builders made use of artificial means to resist the natural decay of the dead body; but there is no certainty as to what they did. The Cairo Museum shows, by its unique collection of mummies, that real mummification, aided by art, belongs to the period between the seventeenth dynasty and the early days of the sixth century of the Christian era. Dr. Elliot Smith reminds us that during this period of about 2,000 years the methods of embalming underwent many changes. From the eighteenth to the twentieth dynasties the methods adopted consisted only in the preservation of the body itself, and as everyone knows who has seen the Royal Rameside mummies this was accomplished so successfully that the mode employed can only have been the result of centuries of experiment. About the beginning of the twenty-first dynasty (a period of decline, when Egypt was being menaced by victorious Assyria) the embalmers initiated a new practice which was an attempt to restore to the shrunken body the form which it had lost during the early stages of embalming; this was done by packing under the skin and in the cavities linen, sawdust, sand, and other materials.

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New Year Greetings to all our Readers.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Weekly Gold Return.

The import of coin between the 21st and 28th inst. totalled L.E. 179,932 and the export was L.E. 98.

Cairo's New Bridges.

The slight alterations which were found to be necessary on the small bridge at Rodah being now practically complete, the Rodah bridges will be formally opened for traffic some time in the coming month.

An Interesting Case.

The action against the Egyptian Government for wrongful dismissal, which is being brought by Mr. Albert Simha, late Chief Storekeeper of the Ports and Lights Administration at Alexandria, will not be heard until February next.

The Tour Eiffel.

The performance at the Tour Eiffel keeps up its standard of excellence and is quite deserving of a good attendance. The début of "Guapa la Zingara et son chanteur" was very warmly applauded, and provided turns of Spanish songs and dances of quite exceptional merit.

Alhambra Theatre.

The modern day wonder Fregoli, whose impersonations are creating so much comment in Alexandria, will give a matinée performance at the Alhambra Theatre to-morrow afternoon. His programme is continually being changed and, as an artist of the highest class, he commands large audiences, which are always most enthusiastic in their applause.

Tales of Modern Egypt.

On page 5 of to-day's issue we publish another tale by "Madge Hoole." It has been suggested that we should republish the whole collection if these stories as a small booklet. We should be very pleased to consider the matter of any correspondent would inform us as to the dates when the first stories were published in our colomns a few years ago.

Sidi Barrani Station.

The increase in the ordinary expenditure of the Coastguard Administration to L.E. 148,839 as against L.E. 129,504 in 1907 is in the main due to the establishment of a station at Sidi Barrani, with a view to enable the Coastguard Administration to patrol the adjacent portion of the Mediterranean coast.

The Cholera Scare.

The rumour which was sent round Alexandria yesterday afternoon that a case of cholera had occurred at Mex is absolutely untrue. On Sunday a French vessel from Kavak reported 9 cases, of which 7 fatal, on arrival at Port Said. The strictest regulations were enforced to render any communication with the shore impossible, and the vessel was sent through the Canal under guard.

Protecting the Sudan.

Owing to the cholera having reached the Hedjaz the Sudan Government authorities are taking precaution to guard the coast and prevent clandestine disembarkation. A sufficient force of mounted police has been appointed for this purpose, as was done last year. It is hoped that these active measures will succeed in warding off the introduction of the plague into that country.

Evangelicism at Khartoum.

A commission of the Synod of the Evangelical Church of Egypt has arrived at Khartoum for the purpose of organizing a church, and laying the foundation of the church building which will be erected at Khartoum. A meeting of the Church membership was held on Friday week for the election of elders and deacons, who will be installed next Monday evening. The ceremony of laying the foundation of the Church building will take place on Monday afternoon.

THE LATE REV. D. P. MILLER.

THE INQUEST.

The inquest into the circumstances under which the Rev D. P. Miller met his death was held by the British Consul at Cairo yesterday. Dr. Madden and Major Hardy gave evidence as to being called to the pharmacy to which Mr. Miller had been conveyed and to attending him. The evidence of three Europeans and the tram conductors went to show that the motor-car, which was the cause of the accident, followed the tram for some distance at a normal rate on the way to the garage. The chauffeur, a Greek, after confirming this evidence, said that he applied the brake as soon as he saw the shadow thrown by the deceased in front of him but it was too late and Mr. Miller fell under the car. Private Davey, of the Ordnance Office, gave evidence as to attending the injured man in the first instance and of obtaining assistance, the Consul thanking him for the prompt manner in which he had acted. Captain Jarvis, of the police, having given technical evidence as to the car and the distance from the tram at which it was travelling, the jury after retiring for five minutes returned a verdict of "accidental death" and exonerated the chauffeur of the car from all blame.

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APPOINTMENT OF A MOSLEM.

(*Gazette's Special Service.*)

London, Tuesday

It is reported that Hakki Bey, the well-known legal adviser to the Porte and who is a Mohamedan, will be appointed Turkish Ambassador at London. The Mohamedan officials of the Porte have for long been agitating for a Mohamed ambassador in view of the large number of Moslems in the British Empire.

THE BRITISH NAVY.

NEW GIANT BATTLESHIPS.

(*Gazette's Special Service.*)

London, Tuesday.

The first keel of the new "Dreadnought" class of battleship, to be named "St. Vincent," has been laid down at Portsmouth. The vessel will have a displacement of 19,200 tons The order is officially confirmed to build the battleship "Rodney" with a displacement of 20,000 tons. Vickers Maxim have received the order for the armament of these battleships.

SUSPENSION OF CORN DUTIES.

(*Gazette's Special Service.*)

London, Tuesday.

The British ambassador at Constantinople notifies that the corn import duties for Salonica, Monaster, and Kossovo vilayets have been suspended for a period of two months at most,

THE DRUCE CASE.

(*Gazette's Special Service.*)

London, Tuesday.

The claimant's solicitor statest hat the Druce perjury charge will be pursued, and asserts that the body found inthe Druce grave at Highgate cemetery must be proved to be the corpse of Mr. T.C Druce.

The general opinion is, however, that the case will now fall to the ground.

PILGRIM STEAMER STRANDED.

(*Gazette's Special Service.*)

London, Tuesday.

The Russian steamer "Gregory Morch" with 1,900 pilgrims on board has stranded on a reef at Abou Framish, thirty miles north of Jeddah.

TROOPSHIPS AT SUEZ.

(From our own Correspondent).

Suez, Monday.

The homeward bound troopship "Dongola," arrived at Suez yesterday from Karachee, and entered the Canal in the afternoon bound for Southampton. The outward bound troopship "Rewa," sailed from Suez this morning bound to Karachee.

A CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Messrs George Jennings Ltd. who have for some time past been engaged in connection with the drainage and sanitation of the new Government residences at Gezireh, entertained their English staff at dinner on Christmas day, in the employés mess-room seasonably decorated for the occasion, where the guests, to the number of eighteen, did ample justice to the excellence of the repast provided, at the conclusion of which, and after the usual loyal toasts had been submitted and duly honoured, the chairman, Mr. S. Jennings, proposed the health of the main drainage department of the Public Works Ministry coupled with the name of its respected controller general, Mr. C. Carkeet James, the expert engineer under whose administration and able direction the recent labors of the firm in connection with this initial work of public drainage in Cairo, had been conducted and brought to so satisfactory a conclusion, which augured well for the future success of the vast scheme of Cairo drainage upon which he was engaged, — a scheme so essentially identified with the public health, and the continued development and prosperity of the city.

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At noon all the Government vessels in harbour and H.M.S. "Diana" (Capt. Heathcoat Grant) dressed ship, taking their time from the yacht "Cuhona" of Prince Aziz Pasha Hassan, who represented the Khedive.

From 2.30 to 3 p.m. those invited to attend the inauguration boarded the "Cuhona," the "Aida," and the "Diana." On board the "Cuhona" the Consular Corps and Heads of Departments were received by the Prince; the guests of the Admiral were entertained aboard the "Aida," and on the "Diana" Captain Heathcoat Grant received the ladies and those friends whom officialdom did not invite.

Punctually at 3 p.m. the Khedivial Standard was broken on board the "Cuhona," and was immediately saluted by the guns of the German training ship "Freya" and then by H.M.S "Diana." The "Cuhona" then got under wehig and, followed by the "Diana," "Aida" and "Abbas," proceeded to the harbour entrance, where they all dropped anchor under the breakwater.

Owing to the heavy weather the original programme of inauguration was not strictly adhered to, but, despite the angry seas, Prince Aziz, Rear Admiral Sir Massie Blamfield, Sheehan Bey, and Mr. Girard (French Consul) boarded the pilot tug "Etaif" and, passing out and in through the new Great Pass, officially inaugurated it.

On the return of the "Etaif" to the calmer waters of the harbour, the "Diana" thundered out another royal salute to declare that the pass was open. The "Abbas" and "Teir el Mina" next proceeded through the pass and aboard the latter were Grafton Bey, chief engineer, and Mr. Gardner, dredger master, under whose technical directions the new lighthouse has been built and the pass dredged. On the return of "Etaif" all the vessels which had taken part in the ceremony returned to their moorings. Captain Heathcoat Grant then paid an official visit to H.H. Prince Aziz aboard the "Cuhona" and the Prince on returning the visit shortly after sundown, was greeted with a salute of 21 guns.

THE KHEDIVE.

The Khedive will not hold a reception on Accession Day owing to its proximity to Courban Beyram, which falls on the 14th January.

Persons, who desire to put their names on the register on Accession Day can do so at the ceremonies office, Abdin Palace.

The fifth list of subscriptions for the Khedivial Accession Fête amounts to L.E. 918 and 325 milliemes.

The Khedive received the following persons in audience on Friday last, Baron Gaiffier d'Hestroy, Diplomatic Agent for Belgium, who presented Baron Descamps, and Mr. Carton de Wiart; Mr. Wells, Inspector General of Mines, who took leave of his Highness; Mr. Paul Harvey; Prince Kamel Fadel Pasha; Prince Haidar Fadel Pasha; Baron Empain; and Mr. R. Said Ruete. On Saturday morning his Highness received the Grand Cadi of Egypt and Mr. G.P Graham, who thanked the Khedive for his promotion to the post of Director-General to the Department of Public Health.

COMPANY PROCEDURE IN EGYPT.

To the Editor of the "Egyptian Gazette."

Dear Sir, — The following article is comprised in the "Articles of Association" of a Limited Liability Company promoted and foisted on the public of Egypt and London some few years ago. It is almost needless to state that this Company has turned out to be a huge fiasco, if not worse. Nevertheless, I shall be glad if your readers, many of them directors of companies domiciled in London, but having Egypt for their base of operations would kindly inform me if such an article is imposed as a usual and customary condition under which shareholders are invited to subscribe capital for Joint Stock Companies.

92.— Tout ce qui aura été fait par une Assemblée du Conseil ou d'un Comité de Conseil, ou par quelqu'un agissant comme Administrateur, quand même il serait reconnu plus tard qu'il y avait eu nomination du dit Administrateur irrégulière ou de la personne agissant comme Administrateur, ou même s'ils n'avaient pas qualité pour agir, sera aussi valable que si toutes ces personnes avaient été dûment nommées et avaient eu qualité pour occuper le poste d'Administrateur.

Under the above it would seem that an enterprising boab might run the whole show and having collected the shareholders money in every available direction quietly decamps with the connivance, say of the Managing Director, and share the proceeds with him and no blame attaches to any one.

If people who may be about to subscribe capital to public companies would only take the trouble to read the published articles of association they might in some cases save their money—I don't say they would necessarily save it, having regard to the facility with which dishonest directors wreck bonâ fide concerns here, and escape with impunity, but if a little precaution were taken, and some few preliminary enquiries made, shareholders would less frequently give their support to rotten concerns of which we have had so many instances in Egypt lately.

Yours faithfully,
J. Gooding.

Alexandria, December 31.

CAIRO WATER COMMISSION.

THE SOURCE OF IMPURITIES.

The report of the Cairo Water Commission, is, in so far as the actual analysis of the water supply of Cairo is concerned, of a very satisfactory nature, as will be seen from one of the concluding sentences of the report, which runs as follows "In brief, apart from the possible presence of undesirable bacteria, there is nothing in the composition of the water which is capable of giving rise to sickness or disease". It is true that in an earlier paragraph it is stated that the members of the commission are not satisfied that the water supply is entirely satisfactory but the difficulties in the way of destroying such impurities as exist in the water, and in remedying the causes which are said to conduce to this opinion do not appear to be very great. The water bearing strata at Rod-el Farag, affords in the opinion of the commission a very good filter, and the presence of a small amount of iron and manganese in the water are the only defects in its chemical composition. These will, however, require to be removed, and the commission suggests that systematic experiments should be carried out in order to ascertain the best and cheapest method of accomplishing this, and there are several other points in connection with the working etc. of the wells which are also brought forward as being in need of greater attention than is at present accorded to them.

The method of adding aluminium sulphate to the water entering the settling tanks of the Ghizeh supply by the judgment of the naked eye alone is condemned, it being considered necessary to introduce the use of apparatus to accurately measure the turbidity of the water, both previous to and after settling, and the necessity of absolute cleanliness in dealing with the sand on the filters is urged by the commission, who also offer many other suggestions of a technical nature applicable alike to the Ghizeh and Abbassia supplies. In regard to the latter it is stated that the present intake is in an unsatisfactory position and should be some distance from the town, while the practice of mixing water from this supply with that of Rod-el-Farag is condemned.

With regard to the system of distribution the commission points out that this is largely an engineering matter and with the exception perhaps of the suggestion that the mains should be laid at a greater depth than at present there is nothing included in the report which would not occur to the mind of any modern engineer. It will be necessary, if the commission is to be followed by any beneficial results for the authorities to take the suggested improvements and alterations immediately in hand, as it is of little value possessing a water supply which is chemically pure, if impurities are to creep in through a faulty system of distribution, and it would seem that there is urgent need of alterations in that which at present exists, and now that the purity of the water at its source has been assured no time should be lost in perfecting the system of supply. It is, as pointed out in the report, difficult owing to the lack of any drainage system, to flush out dead-ends where they exist in the poorer quarters and we trust that something definite as to the much-talked-of drainage scheme may be done immediately.

The scheme is, we believe, one which will put Cairo on a sanitary basis equal to that of any modern town, and as this will possibly be a work which will occupy years in its accomplishment, it is of the utmost importance that the thing should be pushed through with the greatest possible dispatch. We had hoped that the year 1907 would have witnessed the conclusion of the preliminaries, but as this is now impossible, we can only trust that the authorities will make up for lost time in the coming year, and that the summer may find the work well in hand. Many of the suggestions embodied in the report of the commission appear to be almost un-necessary at first sight, but it is to these small things that many of our European cities owe their sanitary reputation and the commission were wise in insisting upon absolute cleanliness in the work, no less than upon the elimination of chemical impurities from the water itself.

WADY KOM OMBO CO.

At a meeting at Cairo of the Wady Kom Ombo Company, which was held on Monday afternoon and at which 207,000 shares were represented, it was resolved on the proposition of the Chairman, M. Suares, that 21,000 feddans of land being now quite ready for agricultural purposes, it would be in the interests of the Company to confine their operations for the present principally to the development of this land in order to ascertain what the yield would be worth, and to proceed with the work of reclaiming other land to agriculture slowly and as opportunity presented itself. It was also resolved to alter the date of the issue of the balance sheet from July 31st to December 31st. Mr. Walter Horschitz was duly elected to fill the place on the Board left vacant by Sir Elwin Palmer.

The crops for the past year were pronounced to have been very satisfactory, and the working of the new pumps had also given every satisfaction. A balance sheet and report giving full details of the work of the company will be published in a few days.

NOTICE TO OUR READERS.

To-morrow being New-Year's Day, the "Egyptian Gazette" will not be published.

SPORT AND PLAY.

K. S. C.

POLO MATCHES.

On Saturday last two very good matches were played at Ghezireh :—

First Match.

The Egyptian Army.	A. K. S. C. team.
Capt. Smith I.	Mr. G. V. Heller I.
„ Carey II.	Seiffoullah Youssy Pacha II
Capt. Kelly III.	Major Pereira III.
„ Harvey (back).	Mr. Bentick (back).

It was soon apparent the E. A. were outclassed in ponies, and Capt. Harvey had the misfortune to injure his hand half way through the game. The K.S.C team won by 6 goals to love. Three of these were scored by Seiffoullah Youssy Pasha, whose shooting at goal was very accurate. Mr. Heller seems to have improved in his polo and to observe the rules of the game more closely.

Second Match.

Major Haig's team. White.	Mr. Schreiber's team. Red.
Capt. Sterling I.	Mr. Evans I.
Mr. Bowen II.	„ Seymour II.
Major Ansell III.	Capt. Bartlett III.
„ Haig (back).	Mr. Schreiber (back).

This was a most exciting match, very accurate polo being played, and the ground seemed to be in excellent condition. Mr. Evans at No. 1, kept Major Haig, his back, galloping for his strokes, this had a good deal to do with the result of the game Mr. Bowen, Capt. Bartlett, and Mr. Schreiber's team lost the first two goals but eventually won by 5 goals to 2. There was a large gathering of spectators watching the match.

First chukker. The Dragoons seemed to have rather the best of it, Mr. Schreiber saving his goal several times: Major Ansell scored the first goal for his side just as the bell rang.

Second chukker. From the throw in Mr. Bowen, who is beautifully mounted, came away with the ball and scored a splendid goal with a long high shot. Shortly after this Capt. Bartlett dribbled the ball through from a scrimage near goal. Score. Reds. 1 goal. Whites 2 goals. Major Haigs pony shying off the ball, let in Capt. Bartlett who again scored. Score two all.

Third chukker. After this there was some even play until Capt. Bartlett who was playing beautifully scored again. Reds. 3. Whites 2. Mr. Seymour was the next to score a good centreing back hander giving him nice opening. Score Reds 4. Whites 2.

Fourth chukker. Mr. Schreiber was conspicuous his defence being very Cound, and his back handers all "coming through". The last goal was scored by Mr. Seymour with a very clever back hand shot.

Final Score.

Major Haig's team 2 goals.
Mr. Schreiber's team 5 goals.

GOLF.

BOGEY COMPETITION.

A Golf Competition was played at Ghezireh on the 25th and 26th inst. Scores as below; Mr. R. Hamilton and Mr. N. G. Colman were equal for first place :—

Name.	Handicap.	Rec. from Bogey.	Result.
* N. G. Coleman	8	6	1 down
* R. Hamilton	12	9	
R. B. Paten	6	5	2 down
Colonel Roper	10	8	
Capt. G. Lane	4	3	
F. P. Watson	6	5	3 down
C. G. Crawley	6	5	
E. W. Coates	8	6	
A. P. Friend	2	2	
F. G Coleman	8	6	
H. Bridson	12	9	
Watts Russell	12	9	
W. G. Hayter	12	9	

Remainder 4 down or more.
* Divide 1st and 2nd prizes = P.T. 945.

NOTES FROM ADEN.

(From our own Correspondent,)

Aden, December 23.

Jedda was lately the scene of great commotion owing to the occurrence of a destructive fire in one of its principal bazaars. The outbreak was in the Khasikiah street which is covered with arcades of planks. Many shops, have been destroyed, the fire having raged for some hours before it could be got under control. The origin of the fire and the damages are not exactly known, but bazaar rumour estimates the damage at one lakh of dollars. It is a great pity that in spite of the liability of buildings to catch fire in these parts there is not a proper fire-engine to check the conflagration on the occurrence of a fire. The want of such an engine is more particularly felt at Hodeida, where a recent fire destroyed more than a hundred huts, nearly half of Hodeida being made up of huts.

The steamers "Rahmani" and "Shahalim" passed here on the 16th and 17th inst. from Bombay en route to Jeddah with 788 and 697 pilgrims, respectively. The steamers "Shahajum" and "Zahinghla" also passed here from Bombay en route to Jeddah with a contingent of pilgrims.

PARIS-HOUSE GENEVA.

Mm. Auberge is exhibiting her models at the Hotel Villa Victoria, Cairo.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Sir Rudolph von Slatin Pasha has arrived at Singa on his tour of inspection and is due back at Khartoum very soon.

Sir Auckland Colvin, who some days ago was seriously ill, is now progressing favourably towards recovery.

The will of the late Judge Hills formerly of the Mixed Appeal Court, Alexandria, has been proved at £5,038 7s 5d.

It is rumoured that Miralai Wilson Bey, the Governor of Sennar Province will succed Miralai Stanton Bey, as Governor of Khartoum, after the retirement of Stanton Bey, within about a year's time.

Mr. G. H. Faber, M.P. for Boston, sailed on Friday by the P. and O. steamer "Britannia" for Port Said on a visit to Egypt. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Faber and his daughter, Mrs Kelman.

The Belgian Royal Geographical Society at Antwerp has conferred its gold medal upon Lieutenant Boyd Alexander, who read a payer before the society on Thursday evening, describing his journey across Africa from the Niger to Lake Tchad and thence to the Nile.

The death occurred on the 24th inst. at Jerusalem of Mr. Antoine Morcos at the age of 68 years. He was for many years proprietor of the Grand Hotel at Jerusalem.

EGYPT'S POSTAL SERVICE.

The ordinary expenditure for 1908 has been fixed at L.E. 259,798 as against L.E. 239,498 in 1907. This increase of L.E. 20,300 is chiefly required for strengthening the staff to cope with increased work and to meet the increased cost of transport, rents, etc. Receipts for 1907, estimated at L.E. 260,000, will approximately reach L.E. 285,000. Those for 1908 are estimated at L.E. 280,000. The total number of letters exchanged with Great Britain and her Colonies in 1907 will probably attain 3,571,000 as against 2,692,500 in 1906, an increase of over 30%. Since the reduction in December 1905 of the cost of postage from 10 to 5 milliemes, the gross increase in the number of letters despatched to these countries is 107%, or, after deducting the probable increase based on the normal growth of preceding years, 77%, which must be regarded as extremely satisfactory.

A similar reduction in postage with Italy came into force in July 1906 with the result that the number of letters exchanged in 1907 amounts approximately to 1,191,000 as against 815,200 last year, being an increase of 46%.

The reduction in the price of inland postcards from 3 to 2 millièmes has been attended with the happiest results. Approximately 2,000,000 cards have been sent this year as against 1,185,000 in 1906; the loss in revenue has therefore easily been covered.

The number of depositors in the Savings Bank shows an increase of 12,666 to the end of October and now exceeds 71,000. Although for the first time in its history the monthly withdrawals have on three occasions exceeded the deposits, there still remains an increase on the first ten months of L.E. 42,135. The total amount now on deposit is L.E. 373,207. Although these figures shew a gratifying increase, it must be admitted with regret that the Savings Bank can hardly be said as yet to have achieved complete success as a popular institution.

The number of British postal orders issued amounts to 27,500 for the first ten months of 1907, as against 21,000 for the whole of 1906.

CASINO SAN STEFANO.

By kind permission of Col. R.C.C. Cox commanding and Officers, 2nd Bn. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, the band will play the following programme of music at the Casino to-morrow from 4 to 6 p.m.

March—C'est le Printemps—arr. S. Douglas.
Overture—Light Cavalry—Suppé.
Valse—Luna—P. Lincke.
Selection—Lohengrin—Wagner.
Piccolo Solo—The Deep Blue Sea - Brever.
Serenade Espagnole—La Manola Eilenberg.
Selection—Pagliacci—Leoncavallo.
Valse—Donan Wellen—Ivanovici.
American Sketch—Mumblin Moss—Thurban.
Selection—The Merry Widow—Lehar.
Regimental March—Khedivial Anthem.
God Save the King.

R. Watson Ramsey, Bandmaster.

GHEZIREH PALACE HOTEL.

By kind permission of Col. C.J. Markham and Officers, the band of the 1st Bn. King's Royal Rifles will perform the following selection of music at the Ghezireh Palace Hotel on Thursday January 2nd at 8.0 p.m.

March—The Belle of Chicago—Sousa.
Suite de Ballet—Coppelia—Delibes.
I. Fanfare et Marche de la Cloche. II. Valse des Heures. III. Musique des Automates. IV. L'Hymen. V. Czardas.
Selection—The Gondoliers—Sullivan.
(a) Abendlied . . . Schuman.
(b) Humoreske . . . Dvorak.
Waltzer—Verchmähte Liebe—Lincke.
Grand Selection—Faust—Gounod.
Czardas.—Zsambekl—Gung'l.
Indian Intermezzo—Os-ka-loo-sa-loo—Sawyer.
Regimental March.—Khedivial Anthem.
God Save the King.

Thomas Brown, Bandmaster.

S. A.— GOLAY FILS & STAHL.
MANUFACTURERS OF
FINEST WATCHES and JEWELRY.
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TELEGRAMS.

ADMIRAL PHILIBERT DECORATED.

PARIS, December 30.

Admiral Philibert has been promoted a Grand Officer of the Legion of Honour. *(Havas)*

FRENCH FOREIGN RELATIONS

PARIS, December 30.

M. Pichon will take advantage of the holidays to visit the Minister for Foreign Affairs at Madrid. *(Havas)*

PARIS, December 30.

M. Pichon is going to Madrid to return the visit of the Spanish Minister for Foreign Affairs. *(Reuter)*

THE MOROCCAN SITUATION.

MARNIA, December 30.

The troops will leave to-day. They will advance towards Taghert from three sides. *(Havas)*

PARIS, December 30.

The appointment of General Damade is regarded as signifying a more active military policy in the Casablanca region, similar to General Lyautey's operations on the Algero-Moroccan frontier. *(Reuter)*

THE DRUCE DRAMA.

THE COFFIN OPENED.

LONDON, December 30.

The Druce coffin has been opened. It contains the body of an aged bearded man. This is regarded as disposing of the pretensions of the claimant to the Dukedom of Portland. *(Reuter)*

TO OUT-DREADNOUGHT "DREADNOUGHT."

LONDON, December 30.

The "St. Vincent," an improved type and 1,350 tons larger than the "Dreadnought," has been laid down at Portsmouth. *(Reuter)*

THEFT OF A VIOLIN.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 30.

While the violinist Ysaye was playing at a concert here, his reserve Stradivarius, valued between £2,000 and £3,000, was stolen. *(Reuter)*

THE AMERICAN CRISIS.

A TERRIBLE SITUATION.

NEW YORK, December 30.

The homeless and unemployed here are estimated at 100,000; charity institutions are overwhelmed. *(Reuter)*

NEW YEAR PARDONS.

PARIS, December 30.

President Fallières has pardoned or reduced the sentences on 474 military offenders on the occasion of the New Year. *(Reuter)*

Eastern Telegraph Co. Ltd.

AVERAGE TIME occupied in transmission of Egyptian telegrams from England to Alexandria on Monday 30th December, 1907.

OUTWARDS.

Between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m (Cairo time)

FROM	MESSAGES HANDED IN AT	
	The Company's Offices	Postal Telegraph Offices.
	H. M.	H. M.
London...	24	41
Liverpool	21	23
Manchester	23	—
Glasgow	41	51
Other Provincial Offices ...	—	56

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the sex opinion pressed by our correspondents, but we wish, in a spirit of fair play to all, to permit—within certain necessary limits—free discussion.

GHIZEH GARDENS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "EGYPTIAN GAZETTE."

Sir,—Who is responsible for the present state of the Ghizeh gardens? Its changed condition, however, makes our hearts sad. There has been a ruthless destruction of trees. Some of the finest have been cut down and for what reason do you imagine? To create a *kitchen* garden; for the whole place is little else now. Peas and potatoes are all very well in their way; but to destroy our only specious and umbrageous garden for their cultivation is an act of vandalism in comparison with which the removal of an ancient monument or "modernised" restoration is a trifling peccadilo. Though the Ghizeh grounds are now beautifully laid out for *the growing of vegetables*, the roads are neglected and one place—next to the ruins of a conservatory—there is a hole many feet deep without any protection. Indeed, it is generally filled with water so as, presumably, to render it less easily visible. Cairo is none too healthy as the weekly statistics fully testify; and to have destroyed this, its single lung, which used to be the resort on fête days of thousands of tired town-workers, is an offence for which the authorities ought to be held criminally responsible or at least be punished with dismissal. What can be the attitude of minds of people who, in a tropical country, callously order the wholesale demolition of trees in the vicinity of the capital it is hard to conceive. Lovers of nature they cannot be, still less lovers of their kind. Doubtless they are accustomed to look upon the native Egyptian as barbarous. But surely the barbarian who gave to Cairo this garden was more civilized than those who have ruined it.

I am, Sir,
Yours, etc.
"A LOVER OF TREES."

Cairo, 27th December.

STONE IN THE BLADDER.

PERMANENTLY CURED BY DOAN'S BACKACHE KIDNEY PILLS.

Mr. James Brown, Chirnside Bridge, Chirnside, Berwickshire, Scotland said: "Since 1902 I suffered with kidney disease, the outcome of overlifting. There were pains across my loins, and the urinary secretions were disordered. I used to feel dreadfully tired on rising in the mornings, and was troubled very much with chilly sensations, as well as with a bad taste in the mouth. Occasionally I was so ill that I had to stop work.

"I had medical treatment, the doctor pronouncing my illness to be stone in the bladder. It was not until I used Doan's Backache Kidney Pills, however, that I got lasting relief. I found these pills were doing me good when I had taken two boxes of them. I persevered with the pills, and they eventually put me right.

(Signed), JAMES BROWN."

Nearly a year after Mr. Brown said: "I have the greatest pleasure in speaking for Doan's Backache Kidney Pills, for they have done me a great deal of good.

"I put myself down as another on the long list of people who have been cured by Doan's Backache Kidney Pills, and it is a pleasure to recommend the medicine most highly.

(Signed), JAMES BROWN."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all chemists and druggists at 13 P.T. per box, or 71 P.T. for 6 boxes; or they may be had direct from the agents for Egypt, Mr. E. Del Mar, Rue Hotel du Nil and Rue Mousky, Cairo; Rue Tewfik, (opposite the Bourse), Alexandria and Rue Commerciale, Port Said; and Messrs S. Fischer & Co., Rue Sherif Pacha, Alexandria.

Commercial & Financial Supplement OF THE "Egyptian Gazette."

The Commercial and Financial Supplement of the "Egyptian Gazette" is published a midday every Saturday in time for the Austrian Lloyd's mail. The supplement contains exhaustive and important reviews of the cotton, cotton seed, and stock and share markets, with all the latest statistics up to the evening of the preceding day, complete tabular forms of the various market fluctuations, and the copies of the official telegrams of the Liverpool Cotton Association, etc., etc. Subscription for one year P.T. 100 (inclusive of postage in Egypt for abroad the postage is P.T. 10 extra). For Further particulars apply to the Manager the "Egyptian Gazette."

MODERN EGYPT.

BY

LORD CROMER.

The following are extracts from the introductory chapter to Lord Cromer's book "Modern Egypt":—

My object in writing this book is twofold.

In the first place, I wish to place on record an accurate narrative of some of the principal events which have occurred in Egypt, and in the Sudan since the year 1876.*

In the second place, I wish to explain the results which have accrued to Egypt from the British occupation of the country in 1882.

The accidents of my public life have afforded me special opportunities for compiling certain chapters of Egyptian history. From March 1877 to June 1880, and again from September 1883 up to the present time (1907), I have been behind the scenes of Egyptian affairs. Besides those sources of information which are open to all the world, I have had access to all the documents in the archives of the Foreign Offices of both London and Cairo, and I have been in close communication with, I think, almost every one who has taken a leading part in Egyptian affairs during the period the history of which I have attempted to write. Thus, I think, I may fairly lay claim to be in a position of exceptional advantage in so far as the attainment of accuracy is concerned. . . . . .

On March 23, 1876, Mr. Stephen Cave, who had been sent to Cairo, to report on the financial condition of Egypt, expressed himself in the following terms:—

"Egypt may be said to be in a transition state, and she suffers from the defects of the system out of which she is passing, as well as from those of the system into which she is attempting to enter. She suffers from the ignorance, dishonesty, waste, and extravagance of the East, such as have brought her suzerain to the verge of ruin, and at the same time from the vast expense caused by hasty and inconsiderate endeavours to adopt the civilisation of the West."

An attempt will be made in the following pages to give some account of the measures adopted since Mr. Cave wrote his report, to arrest, as I hope and would fain believe, to remedy the disease, whose main features are described with accuracy in the passage quoted above.

I trust that such an account will not be devoid of interest to the general reader, and that it will be of some special interest to those of my fellow-countrymen who are, or who at some future time may be engaged in Oriental administration. It is to this latter class that I would more especially address myself, for they can appreciate the nature of the problems which have presented themselves for solution, and the difficulty of solving them, more fully than those who are devoid of special administrative experience in the East. . . . . .

The history of reform in Egypt does not present any striking feature to which some analogy might not perhaps be found in other countries where European civilisation has, in a greater or less degree, been grafted on a backward Eastern government and society.

But, so far as I am aware, no counterpart can be found to the special circumstances which have attended the work of Egyptian reform. Those circumstances have, in truth, been very peculiar.

In the first place, one alien race, the English, have had to control and guide a second alien race, the Turks, by whom they were disliked*, in the government of a third race, the Egyptians. To these latter, both the paramount races are to a certain extent unsympathetic. In the case of the Turks, the want of sympathy has been mitigated by habit, by a common religion, and by the use of a common language. In the case of the English, it has been mitigated by the respect due to superior talents, and by the benefits which have accrued to the population from British interference.*

In the second place, it is to be observed that for diplomatic and other reasons, on which it is unnecessary for the moment to dwell, the Egyptian administration had to be reformed without any organic changes being effected in the conditions under which the government had been conducted prior to the British occupation . . . . . .

. . . It is, indeed, certain that whatever success has crowned the efforts of reformers in Egypt has been attained, not in virtue of the system, but in spite of it. Those who hold, with the English poet, that "Whate'er is best administered is best," may perhaps find some corroboration for their theory in the recent history of Egypt. An experiment under somewhat novel conditions has, in fact, been made in Eastern administration, and, in spite of many shortcomings, this experiment has been crowned with a certain degree of success. It is this which gives to Egyptian reform its chief claim to the interest of the political student.

I have lived too long in the East not to be aware that it is difficult for any European to arrive at a true estimate of Oriental wishes, aspirations, and opinions. . . . . .

I was for some while in Egypt before I fully realised how little I understood my subject; and I found, to the last day of my residence in the country, that I was constantly learning something new. No casual visitor can hope to obtain much real insight into the true state of native opinion. Divergence of religion and habits of thought: in my own case ignorance of the vernacular language; the reticence of Orientals when speaking to any one in authority; their tendency to agree with any one to whom they may be talking; the want of mental symmetry and precision, which is the chief distinguishing feature between the illogical and picturesque East and the logical West, and which lends such peculiar interest to the study of Eastern life and politics; the fact that religion enters to a greater extent than in Europe into the social life and laws and customs of the people; and the further fact that the European and the Oriental, reasoning from the same premises, will often arrive at diametrically opposite conclusions,—all these facts place the European at a great disadvantage when he attempts to gauge Eastern opinion. . . . On the whole, though I should not like to dogmatise on the subject, I am inclined to think that by constantly seeing people of all classes, and by checking the information received from different sources, a fair idea of native opinion in Egypt may in time be formed.

I would add that it is not possible to live so long as I have lived in Egypt without acquiring a deep sympathy for the Egyptian people. The cause of Egyptian reform is one in which I take the warmest personal interest.

* I have dealt fully and unreservedly with the whole of the principal historical events which occurred in Egypt from 1876 up to the time of Tewfik Pasha's death (January 7, 1892); also with Sudan history up to the end of 1907. It would, in my opinion, be premature to deal similarly with events in Egypt subsequent to the accession of the present Khedive.

VISITORS LIST.

LUXOR WINTER PALACE.

The latest arrivals at the Luxor Winter Palace include:—

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AN INTERMEZZO BY MADGE HOOLE.

That the pen is mightier than the sword is so trite a remark that an apology is due to my readers for mentioning such a subject. Whole quarries of slates have been filled with essays on this theme in board schools and other places where the child of the working man is taught to be a nuisance to himself and a curse to his country. Yet I am still of opinion that the last word has not been said in praise of the pen, in proof of which I give the following points to the consideration of the world in general Firstly, you can only kill a man once with a sword and not always that, if the sword happens to be made in England, whereas with a pen you can continue to attack him before and after death, until ink and grammar fail, or indeed past the latter point, to judge by certain journalistic efforts of the present day. Secondly, with a sword you can only attack a man by himself, whereas with a pen you can scarify, not only him, but also his relations up to the ninth aunt, thirdly, you cannot kill anyone with a sword unless you can come to close range, whereas distance makes no difference to an attack with the pen, in fact, some of the most noted exponents of the art, prefer a "safety zone" between themselves and the person attacked. Lastly, to give two military examples, no sword ever forged succeeded in annihilating an entire army at one blow, whereas this surprising feat has just been accomplished by the pen in our own happy isles; and many a General has got himself into a greater mess with the pen than he ever did with the sword, and I cannot say more than that. Having, I hope, strengthened the readers belief in this hoary example of the "crambe repetita," I will now proceed to give a local example of the truth of my first statement. There existed a few years ago, in a certain locality which I need not particularise further, a man who exercised the ancient and lucrative profession of a brigand. It is more than doubtful if he had ever perused the pages of John Jacques Rousseau, but in practice he carried out his theory that "all property is robbery" to great perfection. In accordance with these tenets, he placed himself in possession of other people's property, as frequently and as unostentatiously as possible. The exigences of his profession occasionally obliged him to kill as well as rob, whether this is blameable or not depends to a remarkable degree on sartorial details. It has been noticed that those who kill in a blue coat with red patches on it, do not generally attain a very elevated position in life, to those, on the other hand, who do their slaying in a red coat with blue patches on it, the highest prizes of life are open The brigand in question, made a speciality of removing cattle, and had, at the time of which I speak, carried out his socialistic theories so thoroughly, that the inhabitants of the district plucked up their courage and complained to the Mudirieh. The latter, justly annoyed at this replied firstly, that they had not been stolen. The inhabitants then approached the Bashkatib in the way in which Bash katibs are best approached, and finally some ineffectual steps were taken. It is perhaps not greatly to be wondered at that the steps taken were ineffectual, seeing that the police generally pursued their inquiries in the spirit of Dogberry and Verges, and whenever they wished to "apprehend a rogue," and "he would not stand," presently "called the watch together', *Egyptice* woke up the gaffirs, and "thanked God they were rid of a rogue." It will be remembered that I am speaking of ancient days, when the Académie Abd el-Aziz, or the "Slop's Sandhurst," did not exist to furnish us with those stalwart lads in blue, at once the admiration of the tourist, and the terror of the malefactor. Rendered desperate by continued raids, the inhabitants despatched a complaint to Cairo, to see whether that would have any effect The Government at once came to their assistance, and sent out a circular on the subject. The brigand, as a "countercheck quarrelsome," made another raid and carried off more cattle. The Government, in their turn gave the "retort courteous" by issuing amendments to their previous circular, and ordered a return to be prepared, showing the amount of cattle carried off. Donkeys were to be shown separately under the heading of "observations." The brigand, quite undisturbed by these severe measures, of which indeed he was quite unaware, still persisted in stealing cattle. The Government then issued a proclamation to the Mudirieh to the effect that the brigand was a "dangerous, inconvenient, and insalubrious establishment," and was to be closed at once. The Mudirieh replied with humility that they were ready and willing to close the brigand, but that he persistently, and feloniously abstained from being caught Various Omdehs arrested each other's relation, as a mark of good faith, but as they were too numerous to be the real "Simon Pure", not much good was done. After the unwinding of numerous spools of red-tape, and the exchange of several sacks of ungrammatical correspondence between the offices concerned, the supply of seizable cattle in the neighbourhood gave out and the brigand betook himself to fresh pastures, while the Government leant back in its easy chair, and announced that public order had been restored What the complainants thought of the matter, deponent sayeth not, history rarely condescending to such petty details, which indeed would spoil the moral perspective and disturb the mental detachment of the real historian. At the same time as the events recorded above, there lived a certain European, called Angostura Bitters. He was a native of the famous and historic country of Barrataria, and was a perfect epitome of those striking virtues, well known to be implanted in the breast of all the sons of that happy clime. He had left his native shores with the firm intention of spreading her fame, and incidentally making a fortune. He had been most successful in strengthening and intensifying the opinion of the natives on the many excellencies of his nation in general, and of himself in particular, but fortune had not yet crowned his efforts. Many times and oft had he thought to have seized that illusive fowl, but she had always escaped, leaving him stranded with an unremunerative tail feather in his hand. Why a strict attention to his own interests, a generous toleration of his own failings, and a steady resolve to gain a handsome dividend on his virtues, all characteristics of the great minds of the age, should not have gained the reward they deserved, I must leave to those philosophers to explain who, tilling the moral fields of life with the spade of experience, pour such golden crops of knowledge into shilling guides to Parnassus. The fact remained, however, that the pass book of Mons. Bitters displayed that vacuum, said to be abhorrent to nature. Beyond his natural desire to gain wealth, he had now other and lottier motives to spur him on. At the small provincial town, where he carried on a clinique for the distribution of a certain soothing medical preparation to those poor patients, who were unable to purchase in bulk, he had made the acquaintance of a fair compatriote. Moved by those higher feelings that induce us, under the refining influence of love, to display our better side to the charmer, he had dwelt, perhaps unduly, on his wealth and opulence. ; whilst the lady, actuated by the same lofty ideals, had dazzled her admirer's eyes with a halo of golden beams, and thus the blindness of real love descended on them equally. It must be confessed that he possessed wealth only in the sense that the angler possesses the fish in the river, when he has caught them, whilst six tickets in a local lottery, arranged by a benevolent society, with a *very* limited sphere of activity, the lady's sole treasure (except herself), scarcely bore out the lady's statements. As soon as his pharmaceutical labours were over for the day, the happy lover trod the primrose path that leads to the Elysium of matrimony, and one afternoon, he ventured to declare himself. Rendered eloquent by love, and merely interrupting his passionate outburst for one moment to inquire the price of cotton from a passing friend, he poured the treasures of his affections at the lady's feet which she was pleased to accept. Their marriage followed in due course, and with it came the usual disillusionment. They discovered at an early date that the only treasure they possessed was the treasure of their love, and that, alas!, cannot be banked. A treatise on the tender passions would be out of date in a moral essay, as this claims to be, but the surprising discoveries made by both parties to the covenant soon after marriage can only be explained by the fact that we never can see ourselves as others see us. If we could, most men and all women would commit suicide out of pity to their kind. This is an epigram, but there are only three women in Egypt who will understand it, and none who will believe it. Our Benedict injured in his tendercst feelings, and driven to distraction by the fact that although it may not be necessary to live, it is always necessary to eat, cast about to find some new and more promising road to fortune. At last a chance presented itself, and this was the manner of it. Near the home of our friend, there lived a native, who is the Tertium Quid of my story. Originally possessing a small inheritance, he had become rich by the simple method of continuing to live and allow his land to increase in value, until it was worth such a sum as induced him to dispose of it. He finally disposed of his land to a company. and then he was confronted with the problem of what to do with the money. At first he intended to take the advice of the manager of the company to whom he had sold the land, and place the money in a bank, but when he gathered from the bank manager, that far from charging him for keeping his money, they would pay him for so doing, he rushed out of the office, indignant at being made such a fool, and finally deposited the cash in the only financial institution, in which he had any real confidence, the National Bank, or hole in the cellar. The money remained there for some time, and he was happier than most investors, if he had only known it. Bank rates might rise and fall like the barometer before a gale, without affecting him, and he could keep an eye on his securities in a manner impossible even to the most cautious trustee, keeping watch and ward over the funds of his ward whom he hopes to marry. He happened, however to be rather addicted to those medical comforts, dispensed so kindly by Mons Bitters, and while visiting his clinique, and under the influence of a pectoral lozenge, had talked rather too openly of his wealth and even even thrown out some vague hints as to where it was deposited. Mons Bitters pricked up his ears. He did not see any immediate advantage to be gained by his knowledge, but yet—; He made up another prescription for his friend, "exhibiting" patience, if not skill, and returned home thoughtful In most walks of life, when the man comes home thoughtful, the woman at once suspects another woman; when the woman comes home thoughtful, the man suspects another man, i.e. himself. This is a beautiful provision of nature, and holds good in all climes and amongst all races. Madame Bitters then, in accordance with this universal rule, jumped to the conclusion that some other woman was concerned, and as she happened to hate her husband, naturally hated the suppositious woman worse for not hating him too. She happened to be wrong. There is a very old adage that great minds think alike. Mons A. Bitters had a great mind, and so had our friend the brigand. The latter in his search for fresh pastures in which to exercise his talents, had moved to the same village inhabited by the other actors in this tale. He too was a client of Mons Bitters, and had the same desire to soothe his symptoms with the paragoric, before mentioned. He and the native therefore happened to meet at the "pharmacy," and listened to each other's rather loosely jointed conversation. The details of the brigand's past did not interest the native, but the details of the native's present interested the brigand very much indeed. He did not see any immediate advantage to be gained by his knowledge, but yet—; It was here that the juncture of two powerful minds took place. The same fond wish came simultaneously to the mind of the rude brigand, user of the sword, and to the mind of the cultured European, wielder of the pen. This may be accounted for by telepathy, by thought transference, or even by another motive. I will however no longer play with my readers, I will give a name to this motive, which actuated two such different persons, they both desired to transfer the native's banking account to their own credit! That they did so desire, may be to their credit or it may not; that is no affair of mine, I simply relate what happened, and the different methods each adopted to gain his ends. The brigand, after several conversations with the native, began to have a fairly clear idea of where the money was hidden. Once that was ascertained, the rest was plain sailing to a man of his professional ability. The only thing that worried him was the exact amount of the money. If there was as much as he hoped, it would be impossible to remove it all without a confederate, and of these he had a wholesome dread. He had had before now to "remove" a confederate, because to his simple mind, distrust of the future actions of a past assistant was painful to his finer feelings. On the other hand, if he had to leave any money behind he would experience those poignant feelings of regret, which fill the mind of the company-promoter, who has only got £50 out of the widow, when he might have got £100. At last he determined to go by himself, and trust to luck. He had not much fear of interruption. The house was in a lonely position, and as the local authorities, in that spirit of fair play that should obtain between governors and governed, invariably allowed it to be known in which direction the patrols were going, he did not waste much thought on their movements. Choosing a night when he knew that the patrols were going in the opposite direction, he set out with his gun and his burglar's housewife. Unfortunately for him, two events had taken place on which he had not reckoned. The first was that Britannia had been seized with one of those fits of political flatulency, that occasionally afflict the old lady, and had expressed a wish that the natives should be taught to help themselves. I may mention that the brigand had been helping himself for years without any instruction, but this is by the way. The second was that an English inspector had come down to inspect. In accordance with the wishes of Britannia, he was bent on helping the natives to help themselves, and considered that the best method was to catch any native he saw helping himself He therefore made the patrol go back on their traces, and caught our friend creeping along with his gun and his bag of tools, which he was too taken by surprise to throw away. Utterly flabbergasted at his capture, he could make no valid defence, and was sentenced to a term of imprisonment as a suspicious character When released he had quite lost his nerves and his connections, and sank down to the position of "Tahsilgy" to the Mudirieh. Sword having thus failed utterly, let us see what pen can do. Mons Bitters adopted quite different tactics, violence not being in his line. The problem he had to solve was, given a sum of money in the possession of some one else, how to induce the latter to entrust him with the amount. He reflected that faith, hope and charity were all cardinal virtues, but hope seemed the one best suited to his purpose. He therefore had to devise a plan which would cause the native to hope for such gains, by investing his money under his directions, as would enable him to get the treasure into his own possession. After which epoch, faith would resume her sway over the native until charity stepped in and did the rest. He commenced his plan of campaign by going to see a European in the next Markaz, who had some valuable land for sale. He informed him that he knew of a very rich native, who was disposed to give a large price for good land. He proposed to bring the native to inspect the land, and asked the owner not to say anything about the price at the first visit, but to leave it to him. The owner agreed to this, and promised him a bonus if the sale came off. He then began to throw out hints to the native that he knew of some really valuable land going dirt cheap, as the owner was obliged to sell, and did not know the value of his property, and regretted that he had not the money to buy the property himself. The discrepancy between his two statements would be called a lie in the kitchen, and the artistic instinct in the drawing room. The native, who had the earth hunger of all tillers of the soil, rose at the bait, and asked for details. These were supplied to him in driblets to increase his eagerness, and finally he was taken to see the land in question. Before going, he was warned not to mention anything about the price to the owner, but to leave everything to Mons Bitters, who undertook to get him the land at a very low figure. To this he agreed, and on seeing the land, saw that the figure mentioned by Mons Bitters, was absurdly small, and departed, chuckling to himself at the stupidity of the owner, and licking his lips at the thought of the fine bargain he was going to make. Soon after, Mons Bitters came to see him, bringing a large and imposing looking document, furnished with a large red seal. This he explained was the title deed of the estate, which he had managed to get the offer of at the native's figure. He added, that as one party to the covenant was a European, it would be necessary for the native to register the title deed at Cairo, before the Mixed Tribunals, and pay over the money there He handed the deeds over to the native, who left for Cairo by the "Mustaagleh", which being in Egypt, is of course the slowest train of the day. Arrived at Cairo, he was drifting helplessly about the platform, bewildered by the crowds, when someone knocked up against him, and immediately after greeted him by name. He reminded the native that they had met some years before, and asked many questions about the district, and mutual friends. The native, overjoyed to meet a friendly spirit in a strange land, responded to his overtures in the most open way, suspecting nothing although he could not recollect meeting the affable stranger. He gladly accepted the stranger's offer to show him a quiet place for the night, and the two hobnobbed over a cup of coffee, until the native began to feel sleepy, and retired to rest. On awaking next morning, is it necessary to add that he could not find the purchase money which he had had secreted about his person, nor could he find the affable friend of the previous night! The latter indeed, was no other than our old friend Mons Bitters, who leaving by the express, had preceded the native by some hours. The possession of the title deeds still afforded him a certain amount of relief, until, on having them read to him, he found that he was in possession of an interesting document, which stated in formal language that if Mons Angostura Bitters had happened to die several years ago, his inconsolable relatives would have received £20 from that flourishing society, The Mutual Provident Society of the Sandwich Isles Ltd. As to Mons Bitters, he returned immediately to the shores of Barrataria, where he was at once made a member of the National Assembly, on which august body, his speeches on the necessity of checking corruption in the commercial world, made a great and well deserved effect, and there I think we will leave him. I hope that I shall be held to have proved my contention that blarney, or the pen, is stronger than bluster, or the sword.

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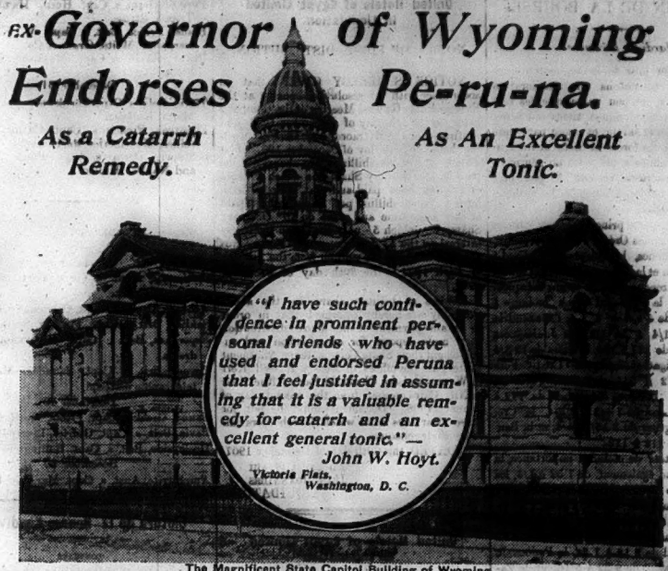

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This is the only way that it can possibly be explained why it is that so many persons prominent in public, diplomatic and social life give testimony for Peruna.

Actual Benefit.

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Mr. Joseph Reiss, 3428 N. 14th street, St. Louis, Mo., writes:

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Catarrhal Fever.

Mrs. W. E. Good, Broadway, Va., writes:

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"Through neglect it went to my throat and nose. After consulting you I used Peruna for four months as directed, and I am entirely well and have my natural health.

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Pe-ru-na Relieves Catarrh.

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"As soon as I get a cold I send for a bottle of Peruna, and it soon drives it out of my system.

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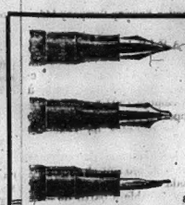

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BULLETIN DE LA BOURSE.

(Mardi 31 Décembre)

Pour le dernier jour de la malheureure année 1907 nous constatons une amélioration partielle dés prix, un peu parce que les vendeurs s'étant retirés quelques titres ont bénéficié d'une demande suivie et aussi parce que les agents ont voulu forcer la note et inaugurer la nouvelle année à des cours un peu meilleurs. Les transactions restent à peu près nulles avec une tendance sinon à la fermeté, du moins au soutien.

La demande a porté principalement sur les Obligations anciennes Crédit Foncier, la Daïra, la Banque d'Athènes, le Comptoir, le Crédit Franco-Egyptien et la National Bank, qui toutes s'inscrivent en reprise plus ou moins marquée.

De 19 13/16 la National Bank remonte à 20, la Ramleh de 4 1/8 à 4 1/4, l'Alexandria Water de 10 1/4 à 10 1/2, les Jouissances Eaux du Caire de 177 à 180, la Daïra de 12 3/4 à 12 7/8, l'Obligation ancienne Crédit Foncier de 270 1/2 à 271, les Lots Turcs de 164 à 165, la Banque d'Athènes de 112 à 113, la Nile Land de 7 1/2 a 7 3/4, le Crédit Franco-Egygtien de 3 15/16 à 4, et la Banque d'Orient de 112 à 113.

Parmi les titres de moindre importance, la Spinning reprend également de 7 32 à 1/4, les Cotton Mills de 1/- à 1/3, la Cassa di Sconto de 44 à 46, le Comptoir de 2 à 2 3/32, l'Allotment de 1 15/16 à 2 l'action et de 42 à 45 la part de fondateur, les Cotton Ginners de 1 3/16 à 1 1/4, l'United de 3 16 à 7 32, la Fanous de 1/8 à 3/16, la Levico de 9/32 à 5/16, et la Zariffa de 2 3/4 à 3.

L'Investment se consolide à 5/16-3/8 et les Estates à 11/32-3/8. Quant aux Ritz, ils sont en bonne tendance à 3/8-7/16.

Il n'y a en baisse que les Nungovich Hôtels de 14 1/2 à 14 et la Port Said Salt de 11/3 à 11/- à cause d'offres persistantes.

Nous publions aujourd'hui les tableaux des valeurs en fin décembre 1905 et 1906 afin qu'on puisse comparer les prix à ces diverses époques. On verra l'énorme moins-value subie par nos valeurs au cours de la crise financière qui pèse sur le pays depuis bientôt deux ans. Il est à espérer que l'année 1908 verra la fin de cette situation qui, si elle se prolongeait, atteindrait plus profondément encore le crédit de l'Egypte.

Comme à l'occasion de la fête du Nouvel An, la corbeille des valeurs restera fermée demain et après-demain, notre prochain bulletin ne paraîtra que vendredi 3 Janvier 1908.

Nous venons de recevoir le rapport du Conseil d'Administration de l'Alexandria and Ramleh Railway Company, Ltd. Faute de temps et d'espace nous en renvoyons la publication à jeudi.

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A l'assemblée de la Wady Kom Ombo qui a eu lieu lundi après midi et à laquelle 207,000 actions étaient représentées, on a décidé sur la proposition du président, M. Suarès, de borner pour le moment les opérations de la société à la mise en valeur des 21,000 feddans de terrains prêts à la culture pour s'assurer du revenu que peut donner le sol et de défricher graduellement d'autres terrains, dès que les circonstances le permettront. On a également modifié la date de publication du bilan en la remettant du 31 juillet au 31 décembre. Pour l'exercice écoulé le bilan et le rapport du conseil d'administration paraîtront dans quelques jours.

Les récoltes de l'année dernière sont considérées comme très satisfaisantes ainsi que le fonctionnement des pompes nouvellement installées.

M. Walter Horschitza été élu pour remplir la place laissée vacante dans le conseil par la mort de Sir Elwin Palmer.

United Hotels of Egypt Limited,

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Creditors of the above Company are required on or before the 15th day of February 1908 to send their names and addresses with the particulars of their debts or claims to either Adolph Cattaui of Old Continental Buildings Cairo or Jean Joannides of the Bank of Athens Alexandria the Liquidators of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said liquidators are to come in and prove their said debts and claims at such time and place as shall be specified in the said notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved:

Dated this 30th day of December 1907.

FREDERICK LEVEAUX
6, Rue de l'Ancienne Bourse, Alexandria.
Advocate and Solicitor to the above named Liquidators.

United Hotels of Egypt Limited,

EN LIQUIDATION.

Avis est donné par le présent que les Liquidateurs de la Société susmentionnée, MM. Adolphe Cattaui, Immeubles de l'Ancien Continental Le Caire et Jean Joannides, Banque d'Athènes, Alexandrie recevront jusqu'au 15 Février inclusivement, les noms et adresses des Créanciers de la dite Société ainsi que notification de la nature de leurs créances. Si les Liquidateurs leur en font la demande par écrit les Créanciers devront se présenter pour justifier leurs créances à l'endroit et à l'heure indiqués dans la dite demande, à défaut de quoi ils ne pourront bénéficier d'aucune distribution de dividende faite avant la justification de leur créance.

Le 30 Décembre 1907.

FREDERICK LEVEAUX
6, Rue de l'Ancienne Bourse, Alexandrie.
Avoué des Liquidateurs susnommés.

Le texte anglais seul fait foi. 31642-1

United Hotels of Egypt Limited in Liquidation.

NOTICE OF FIRST DISTRIBUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with the resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 5th day of December 1907 and confirmed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held the 30th day of December 1907 a first distribution of six shillings per share will be paid on all Ordinary Shares on which the sum of 10/- has been paid and that a first distribution of one shilling per Share will be paid at the same time and place on all Ordinary Shares on which 5/- only has been paid less interest on the 5/- due in respect of such Shares at the rate of 9% per annum from the 5th day of April 1907 to the 30th day of December 1907.

Holders of Ordinary Shares in the above Company are hereby informed that in order to obtain payment of the above distribution they must deposit for examination and endorsement their Share Certificates or Allotment Letters at the offices of Messrs. Russell Kerr & Wyatt, Maison Chawarbi Pacha, Rue Kasr el Nil, Cairo on and from the second day of January 1908., Documents must be left for three clear days after which Shareholders can retire their cheques.

DATED this 30th day of December 1907.

ADOLPH CATTAUI
JEAN JOANNIDES
LIQUIDATORS.

United Hotels of Egypt Limited en Liquidation

AVIS DE DISTRIBUTION DE PREMIER DIVIDENDE

Avis est donné par le présent que conformément aux décisions prises à l'Assemblée Générale Extraordinaire des Actionnaires de la Société, tenue le 5 Décembre 1907, et confirmées par l'Assemblée Générale Extraordinaire tenue le 30 Décembre 1907 un premier dividende de (six) shellings par action sera payé par chaque Action Ordinaire sur laquelle la somme de 10/- a été versée et qu'un premier dividende de un shelling par action sera payé par toute Action Ordinaire sur laquelle 5/- seulement ont été versés. De ce dernier paiement il en sera déduit les intérêts sur les 5/- dus sur ces actions, au taux de 9% l'an du 5 Avril 1907 au 30 Décembre 1907.

Il est porté à la connaissance des détenteurs d'Actions Ordinaires de la Société susmentionnée que pour obtenir le paiement du dit dividende ils devront déposer, pour l'examen et endossement nécessaires, leurs Certificats Provisoires ou leurs "Allotment Letters" aux bureaux de MM. Russell, Kerr & Wyatt, Maison Shawarbi Pacha, Rue Kasr el Nil, Le Caire, le 2 Janvier et jours suivants. Les documents devront être déposés pendant trois jours; passé ce délai les Actionnaires pourront retirer leurs chèques.

Le 30 Décembre 1907.

ADOLPHE CATTAUI
JEAN JOANNIDES
LIQUIDATEURS.

Le texte anglais seul fait foi. 31641-1

Alexandria and Ramleh Railway Company Ltd.

AVIS

L'Assemblée Générale Ordinaire des Actionnaires de la Compagnie qui s'est tenue à Alexandrie le 30 Décembre 1907 a approuvé à l'unanimité le rapport du Conseil d'Administration ainsi que les comptes de l'exercice 1906-1907.

En conséquence le dividende de l'exercice 1906-1907 a été fixé à 25 o/o soit sh 5 par action de £. 1 nominale.

Ce dividende sera payable à partir de Mercredi 15 Janvier 1908 aux Bureaux de la Compagnie (Boulevard de Ramleh) tous les jours de 9 h. à midi et de 3 h. à 5 h. p. m., contre remise du coupon No. 5.

The Alexandria and Ramleh Railway Cy Ltd. a l'honneur de porter en même temps à la connaissance du Public que les treize obligations de l'emprunt de la Compagnie portant les numéros 16, 30, 38, 70, 101, 103, 132, 154, 161, 164, 189, 197 and 216 sont remboursables au pair à partir du 2 Janvier 1908 aux guichets de la Compagnie, tous les jours de 9 h. à midi et de 3 h. à 5 h. p. m.

Alexandrie le 31 Décembre 1907.

Le Directeur Général,
(Signé) J. G. Jacot.

31643—1

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

ALEXANDRIA HARBOUR

ARRIVALS.

December 28.

Emp. Nicolas, Rus. s. Capt. Bourakoff, Odessa and Piræus, Cie Russe.
Barcelona, Brit. s. Capt. Kittle, Antwerp and Malta, Tamvaco.
Elswick Tower, Brit. s. Capt. Birlin, Cardiff, Grace and Co.
Tycho, Brit. s. Capt. Loren, Hull, Grace and Co.

December 29.

Kosseir, Brit. s. Capt. Winter, Port Said, Khedivial Mail.
Amphitrite, Aust. s. Capt. Manghi, Mersina, Austrian Lloyd.
Loreto, Ital. s. Capt. Nicolo, Maddalena and Messina.
Tebe, Ital. s. Capt. Di Benedetto, Genoa and Messina, Florio-Rubattino.

December 30.

Salamis, Greek s. Capt. Pithis, Famagusta and Port Said, Pilavachi.
Cleopatra, Aust. s. Capt. Ivellich, Trieste and Brindisi, Austrian Lloyd.
Ismailia, Brit. s. Capt. Anderlich, Constantinople and Piræus, Khedivial Mail.
Menes, Brit. s. Capt. Woolfall, Liverpool and Malta, Moss and Co.
Hero, Norv. s. Capt. Sandoa, Wiborg, J. Ross.
Pyrgos, Germ. s. Capt. Horn, Hamburg and Tripoli, Stross.
Roman Prince, Brit. s. Capt. W. Kigg, Antwerp and Malta, Grace & Co.
Royal, Germ. s. Capt. Maybaner, Hamburg, Stross.

December 31.

Tigris, Belg. s. Capt. Tornkwist, Antwerp and Malta, Kalfalan.
Equateur, French s. Capt. Chamayon, Marseilles, Messageries Maritimes.
Schleswig, Germ. s. Capt. Pesch, Marseilles and Naples, Muller.

DEPARTURES.

December 28.

Semiramis, Aust. s. Capt. Martinolich, Brindisi and Trieste.
Athènes, Greek s. Capt. Catramatos, Crete.
Saidieh, Brit. s. Capt. Findlay, Syria.
Esperanza, Brit. s. Capt. Yeroyanni, Alexandretta.
Levant, Brit. s. Capt. Saunders, Malta, with telegraphic material.

December 29.

Fanny, Greek s. Capt. Pittas, Constantinople.
Pavia, Brit. s. Capt. Giffries, Liverpool.
Hesleyside, Brit. s. Capt. Bullington, Hull.

December 30.

Amphitrite, Aust. s. Capt. Maraglia, Syria.

Cloture de la Bourse Khediviale

CONTRATS

Cours de l'Association des Courtiers en Marchandises

Coton F.G.F.Br.			6h. p.m.
Novembre N.R.	Tal.	18 23/32 à	— —
Janvier	„	18 — „	— —
Mars	„	18 15/16 „	— 31 32
Mai	„	19 21/32 „	— 11/16
Graines de coton			
Janvier	P.T.	68 15/40 à	— —
Fév.-Mars	„	72 — „	— 5/40
Avril	„	73 25/40 „	— 3/4

REMARQUES

Coton.—Le marché a débuté ferme à 18 7/8 pour le mars; il a continué à se soutenir jusqu'à la fin de la séance. Le mars cloture a talaris 18 15/16. La tendance est bonne.

Dans la matinée prix plus haut pour jan. tallaris 18 1/4 à —/— ; mars 19 3/16 a —/— ; plus bas pour jan. 17 7/8 à —/— ; mars 18 13/16 a —/—. Dans l'après-midi prix plus haut pour jan. 18 1/32 a —/— ; mars 18 31/32 a —/— ; plus bas pour jan. 17 15/16 à —/— ; mars 18 7/8 a —/—.

N.B.—Reports—Sans changement

Au moment de la clôture, les nouvelles étaient les suivantes:

Liverpool, coton égyptien disp.: 10 —/—. Futurs janvier: 9 32/64.

Liverpool: coton américain: Futurs jan.-fév.: 5 72 Futurs mars-avril: 5 7/5.

New-York: coton américain: Futurs jan.: 10.50 „ mars: 10.73

Graines de coton.—Faible et complètement inactive. Dans la matinée prix plus haut pour fev.-mars P.T. 72 10/40 à —/— ; plus bas pour fev.-mars 71 25/40 à /— Dans l'après-midi, prix plus haut pour fev.-mars 72 —/— à —/— ; plus bas pour fev.-mars 71 3/4 à —/—.

N.B.—Reports—Sans changement

Bourse Khediviale, le 30 décembre 1907.

COTONS

copie de la dépêche
DE L'ALEXANDRIA GENERAL PRODUCE ASSOCIATION
à la
LIVERPOOL COTTON ASSOCIATION

(Cours pratiqués hier soir à 6h. p.m. à la Bourse Khédiviale.)

Tal. 18 1/32	Livraison	Janvier	
„ 19 —	„	Mars	
„ 19 11/16	„	Mai	
„ 19 —	„	Novembre N.R.	
Marché steady			

(Cours clôture d'hier soir à 6h. p.m. affichés par l'Association des Courtiers en Marchandises à la Bourse Khédiviale).

Tal. 18 —	Livraison	Janvier	
„ 18 15/16	„	Mars	
„ 19 21/32	„	Mai	
„ 18 23/32	„	Novembre N.R.	
Marche steady			

Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khediviale à 9h.30 a.m.

Tal. 18 3/32	Livraison	Janvier	
„ 19 1/32	„	Mars	
„ 19 23/32	„	Mai	
„ 19 1/32	„	Novembre N.R.	
Marché steady			

Arrivages de ce jour, à Minet-el-Bassal, can. 34,981

Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khéd. à 1h. p.m.

Tal. 18 —	Livraison	Janvier	
„ 18 31/32	„	Mars	
„ 19 21/32	„	Mai	
„ 18 15/16	„	Novembre N.R.	
Marche quiet			

MARCHE DE MINET-EL-BASSAL

31 décembre 1907.—(11h.50 a.m.)

Cotons.—Clôture du marché du 30 déc.: Calme

BOURSES

Sans changement

HAUTE-EGYPTE ET FAYOUM

Sans changement

Etat du marché de ce jour, oct.: Soutenu

Les arrivages de ce jour se chiffrent par can. 36859 contre même jour l'année précédente can. 44592.

Graines de coton.—Sans changement

	Disponible	Ticket
Mit-A66—65		Rien
Haute-Egypte.—64		Rien

Blés.—Fermes

Qualité Saïdi.—Cond. Saha P.T. 130 à 135
„ *Béhéra*: „ „ „ 125 „ —

Fèves.—Sans affaires

Saïdi: Disponible.—

Fayoum: Disponible.—

Qualité Saïdi. Cond. Saha P.T. 125 à 130
„ *Béhéra* „ „ „ — „ —

Lentilles.—Calmes
Cond. Saha P.T. 115 à 120

Orges.—Sans changement
Cond. Saha P.T. 110 à 115

Maïs.—Soutenus
„ Cond. Saha P.T. 95 à 100

Les prix suivants ont été pratiqués ce jour:

COTON
G.M.B.
(BASSE-EGYPTE)

Province Béhéra		
Damanhour	De P.T. 342½	à 360
Province Garbieh		
Kafr-Zayat	De P.T. 365	à 390
Tanteh	„ „ 377½	„ 387½
Province Menoufieh		
Menouf	De P.T. —	à —
Chibin-el-Kom	„ „ —	„ —
(MOYENNE-EGYPTE)		
Province Fayoum		
Fayoum	De P.T. 315	à 325
Beni Souef	De P.T. 32½	à 335
Biheh	„ „ —	„ —
Minieh	„ „ —	„ —

SECTION DES GRAINES ET CEREALES

PRIX FRANCO-STATION:	DISPONIBLE	TICKET
Graines de coton Afifi	P.T. 65 — à	P.T. —
„ Haute-Egypte	„ 64 — „	— „ —
Blé Saïdi	— — „	— „ —
Fèves Saïdi	— — „	— „ —
„ Fayoumi	— — „	— „ —

ARRIVAGES

du 31 décembre 1907

Documents de l'"Alexandria General Produce Asso.

	CHEMINS DE FER	BARQUES
Cotons	8/B 4373	—
Graines de coton	sacs 15738	—
Blés Saïdi	—	—
„ Béhéra	„ 69	—
Fèves Saïdi	„ 49	—
„ Béhéra	„ —	—
Orge	„ —	—
Maïs	„ 222	—
Lentilles	—	—

Cotons.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre 1907 jusqu'à ce jour, cantars 4,821,855

Graines de coton.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre 1907 jusqu'à ce jour Ard. 2,782,740

Contre même jour en 1906:

	BARQUES	ET CHEMINS DE FER
Coton	8/B	4219
Graines de coton	sacs	15034
Blés Saïdi		—
„ Béhéra		—
Fèves Saïdi		—
„ Béhéra		—
Orge		—
Maïs		—
Lentilles		—

Cotons.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre 1906 jusqu'à ce jour, cantars 4,826,181

Graines de coton.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre 1906 jusqu'à ce jour ardebe 2,596,305

CONTRATS, (11 h. 55 a.m.)

Cours de la Bourse de Minet-el-Bassal

Coton F.G.F.Br			
Novembre 1908	Tal.	19 1/16	à —
Janvier	„	18 3/32	„ —
Mars	„	17 1/16	„ —
Mai	„	19 3/4	„ —
Graines de coton			
Janvier	P.T.	68 1/2	à —
Février-Mars	„	72 5/40	„ —
Avril	„	73 25/40	„ —

REMARQUES:

Coton.—Récolte actuelle.—Le marché est ferme et en hausse, mais les affaires sont peu nombreuses.

Graines de coton.—Récolte actuelle.—Sans affaires.

Fèves-Saïdi.—Recolte actuelle.—Marché nul.

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EXTERIEUR

Dépêches particulières du 30 décembre 1907

PRODUITS EGYPTIENS

LIVERPOOL

Coton.—Ventes du jour.—100

Disponible.—10 (2/16 de baisse)

Futurs.—janvier: 9 32/64 (10/64 de baisse)

LIVERPOOL

Graines de coton.—Calmes

Fèves.—Sans affaires

HULL

Graines de coton.—Soutenues

Fèves.—Marche nul

LONDRES

Graines de coton.—Sans changement

COTON AMERICAIN

LIVERPOOL

Futurs jan.-fév.: 5.72 (5 points de hausse)
„ mars-avril: 5.75 (4 points de hausse)
Disponible: 5.13 (1 point de hausse)

NEW-YORK

Middling Upland: 11.80 (sans changement)
Futurs janvier: 10.60 (26 points de hausse)
„ mars: 10.78 (17 points de hausse)
Arrivages du jour, balles —,—
Contre même jour l'année dernière, balles —,—

ASSOCIATION
DES COURTIERS EN MARCHANDISES
(Service spécial)
DEPECHES D'OUVERTURE
LIVERPOOL, 10h. a.m

Américain
Futurs: jan.-fév.: 5.75
„ mars-avril 5.79

DERNIERE HEURE

(Clôture de la Bourse Khédiviale 1 h. p.m.)

Cours de l'Association des Courtiers en Marchandises

Coton F.G.F.Br.			
Novembre N.R.	Tal.	18 15/16 à	— 31/32
Janvier	„	18 — „	— 1/32
Mars	„	18 31/32 „	19 —
Mai	„	19 21/32 „	— 11/16
Graines de coton			
Déc.-Jan.	P.T.	63 10/40 à	— 15/40
Février-Mars	„	72 — „	— —
Avril	„	73 3/4 „	— —

Telegramme Havas

BOURSE du 30 décembre 1907

COURS DES VALEURS A TERME, CLOTURE

PARIS

Rente Française 3 o/o	Fr.	95 47
Dette Egyptienne Unifiée	„	101 85
Extérieur Espagnol	„	94 —
Suez consolidé	„	83 10
Actions de Suez	„	— —
Crédit Foncier Egyptien	„	695 —
Crédit Lyonnais	„	1172 —
Comptoir National d'Escompte	„	676 —
Banque Ottomane	„	691 —
Land Bank of Egypt	„	180 —
Banque d'Athènes	„	117
Banque d'Abyssinie	„	160 —
Crédit Franco-Egyptien	„	103 —
Change sur Londres	„	25 15

LONDRES

Consolidés anglais		£ 83 5/16

Escomptes—Paris 4 %, Londres 7 o/o, Berlin 7 ½ /o

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

CLOSING REPORTS

LIVERPOOL, December 30, 12.50 p.m.

Sales of the day	bales	7,000
Of which Egyptian	„	100
American maize (prime mixed)		5/5 ½
American futures (January-February)		5.70
„ „ (May-June)		5.75
American middling		6.13
Egyptian fully good fair, delivery (December)		9 35/64
„ „ „ „ (January)		9 34/64
„ „ „ „ (March)		9 30/64
„ „ „ „ (May)		9 29/64
Egyptian Brown fair (per lb. d.)		8 13/16
„ good fair		9 8/16
„ good		10 8/16
„ fully good fair		10 —
Egyptian saïdi beans (unwashed) 32/3		

LONDON, December 30.

Consols (January)	83 ⅛
Egyptian Unified	100 ⅛
Private Discount 3m. Bank bills	6 %
Egyptian cotton seed to Hull (December)	6 6/16
German Beet Sugar (December)	9/10 3/4

NEW YORK December 30.

Spot Cotton	11.80
American Futures (Jan.)	10.60
„ „ (February)	10.65
„ „ (May)	10.81
„ „ (June)	10.84
Cable transfers	dol. 4.85½
Cotton day's receipts at all U.S. Ports	bales 78,000

NEW ORLEANS, December 30.

Cotton Spot	11 4/16
„ Futures January	11.06
„ „ March	11.07

LIVERPOOL, December 30.

American futures (January-February)		5.72
Egyptian fully good fair delivery (December)	9 38/64	
„ „ „ (January)	9 35/64	
„ „ „ (March)	9 33/64	
„ „ „ (May)	9 32/64	

LONDON, December 30.

Bar Silver (per oz d.)	24 8/16
Private discount (3 months Bk. bills)	5 ⅛
Consols (January)	83 ⅛
Egyptian Unified	100 ⅛
Turkish Unified	93 ⅛
Rio Tinto	65 ⅞
New Daira	12 ⅞
Agricultural Bank	7 ⅛
National Bank of Egypt	20 ½
Randmines New	5 ⅛
Chartereds of S. Africa	27/32
Nile Valley Gold Mine	— —
New Egyptians	16/32
The Western Oasis Corporation	14/32
Delta Light (Bearer Shares)	9 ⅛
Egyptian Railway	96 ⅛
„ Domain	101 ⅛
Ottoman Defence	99 ⅛
Italian Rente 4 o/o	103 —
Greek Monopoly	68 ⅛
Greek Rente 4 o/o	56 ⅛
Ottoman Bank	17 ½
Compt. Fin. & Comm. d'Egyp.	2 ½
Egyptian cot. seed to Hull (Dec.)	6 6/16 sellers
German Beet Sugar (December)	9/10 ⅛

£275,000 were paid into the Bank to-day

A Tale Without Words.

			Fin Décembre 1905	Fin Décembre 1906	Fin Décembre 1907
Agricultural Bank of Egypt Ancienne Emission	Act	Lst.	9 3/8 —	9 9/16 V.	7 11/16 —
National Bank of Egypt	„	„	25 3/8 —	28 1/4 —	20 —
Alexandria-Ramleh Railway	„	„	6 3/4 —	6 3/4 —	4 1/4 —
Egyptian Delta Railway Co. Ltd.	„	„	11 5/8 —	11 13/16 7/8	9 1/2 —
Tramways d'Alexandrie, privilégiée	„	Fcs.	160 —	202 1/2 —	139 —
„ „ dividende	„	„	290 —	350 —	277 —
Alexandria Water Co. Ltd.	„	Lst.	14 1/8 —	13 3/4 —	10 1/2 —
Société Anonyme des Eaux du Caire	„	Fcs.	116 —	122 —	100 —
„ „ „ Jouis.	„	„	245 —	283 —	180 —
Daira Sanieh Nouvelle	„	Lst.	17 1/16 —	17 3/4 N.	12 7/8 —
Société Anonyme du Béhéra	„	L.E.	35 1/4 —	42 —	20 —
Bourse Khédiviale d'Alexandrie	„	Lst.	— —	— —	25 N.
Egyptian Markets	„	Shel.	25/9 —	31/ —	23/6 A.
Anglo-Egyptian Spinning and Weaving	„	Lst.	2 1/32 —	25/32 —	1/4 —
Crown Brewery d'Alexandrie, privilégiée	„	Fcs.	106 —	207 208	115 N.
„ „ „ dividende	„	„	111 —	115 —	69 N.
„ „ du Caire, privilégiée	„	„	115 —	133 —	70 N.
„ „ „ „ dividende	„	„	55 —	72 —	20 N.
Egyptian Cotton Mills	„	Sue.	5/6 —	6/3 6/6	1/3 —
„ Salt et Soda	„	„	21/3 —	24/3 23/6	13/ —
Société Générale de Pressage	„	Fcs	— —	— —	29 N.
Crédit Foncier Egyptien 3 % à lots	„	Obl.	332 1/2 —	339 —	271 —
„ „ „ Nouvelle émission	„	„	272 1/2 —	272 —	250 1/2 —
Lots Turcs	„	„	— —	152 —	165 166
Cassa di Sconto e di Risparmio	„	Fcs.	215 210 1/2	282 1/2 —	46 —
„ „ „ Nouvelle Emission	„	„	— —	271 —	1 —
Anglo-American Nile	„	Lst.	5 3/4 —	5 5/8 —	2 1/8 —
Banque d'Athènes	„	Fr.	129 —	135 —	115 —
Deffered Delta	„	Lst.	12 —	13 1/2 —	5 N.
Nongovich Hotel	„	„	11 9/16 —	22 V.	14 —
Delta Land	„	„	2 1/8 —	4 5/8 —	1 —
The Nile Land	„	„	— —	18 1/2 —	7 3/4 —
Sucreries et Raffineries d'Egypte	„	Fcs.	— —	70 —	33 —
Khedivial Mail S.S. Co. Ltd. Ancienne Emission	„	Lst.	— —	4 3/4 —	4 1/8 —
„ „ „ Nouvelle Emission	„	Shel.	— —	39/3 —	19/9 —
Egyptian Investment & Agency Ltd.	„	Lst.	1 3/16 —	1 2/8 13/32	5/16 3/8
Land Bank of Egypt	„	„	7 29/32 —	8 11/16 —	7 1/16 1/8
Land Investment	„	„	— —	— —	— —
Egyptian Estates Limited	„	„	1 17/32 9/16	2 7/16 A.	1 1/32 3/8
Splendid Hotels	„	L.E.	4 3/8 —	4 1/4 —	4 5/16 —
Cheik Fadl	„	Fcs.	115 —	108 —	90 —
Urbaines and Rurales	„	Lst.	4 15/16 —	7 5/8 A.	2 15/16 V.
Comptoir Financier & Commercial d'Egypte	„	„	4 3/16 —	8 1/8 —	2 3/32 —
„ „ „ parts de fondateurs	„	„	4 1/16 —	92 —	1 1/4 —
Building Lands of Egypt	„	„	— —	5 25/32 A.	1 3/8 —
The Upper Egypt and Delta Navigation	„	„	5 —	— —	— —
Union Foncière d'Egypte	„	„	— —	6 7/16 V.	4 1/4 —
Banco di Roma	„	Fcs.	— —	114 —	105 A.
Crédit Franco-Egyptien	„	Lst.	— —	6 1/4 —	4 —
Banque d'Orient	„	Fcs.	— —	135 —	113 —
Publications	„	Lst.	— —	3 3/4 —	— —
Aboukir	„	Shel.	— —	42/ —	28/ —
Anglo-Egyptian Allotment	„	Lst.	— —	3 3/4 —	2 —
„ „ Fondateur	„	P.T.	— —	150 —	45 —
Port-Said Salt	„	Sh l.	— —	13/6 13/9	11/ —
Cotton Ginners	„	Lst.	— —	1 7/8 —	1 1/4 —
Egypt and Levant Steamship	„	„	— —	1 —	— 1/2 —
Egyptian Constructions	„	„	— —	1 5/8 —	— —
The auto-transport Co.	„	„	— —	5 V.	— —
United Land	„	„	— —	— —	— 7/32 1/4
„ „ Fondateur	„	„	— —	— —	— 1/2 —
Ritz Hotels	„	„	— —	— —	— 3/8 7/16
Egyptian Land Investment & Building	„	„	— —	— —	— 3/16 —
„ „ „ Fondateur	„	„	— —	— —	— —
Egyptian Imp. Corporation	„	„	— —	— —	— —
Heloan	„	„	— —	— —	— 1/8 —
Bourse and Banking	„	„	— —	— —	— —
„ „ Fondateur	„	„	— —	— —	— —
Levico	„	„	— —	— —	— 5/16 —
„ Fondateur	„	„	— —	— —	1 —
Sednaoi Zariffe	„	„	— —	— —	3 —
„ „ Fondateur	„	„	— —	— —	3 —

Bourse du Caire

Cote Officielle du 30 Decembre 1907

Banques			
Agricultural Bank	£	7 5/8	
National Bank	,,	19 7/8	
Banque d'Abyssinie ...	,,	4 1/8	
Banque d'Athènes ...	F.	111 —	112
Banque d'Orient ...	,,	111 —	
Banque du Caire ...	£	3 3/8	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	1 3/8	
Cassa di Sconto ancienne ...	F.	45 —	
Banque d'Esc. et de Reports ...	£	2 3/8	
,, ,, ,, fond.	,,	1 3/4	
Société Générale Egyptienne...	F.	195 —	
,, ,, ,, fond.	,,	21 —	
Societes Financieres			
Comptoir Financier & Com. ...	£	2 —	2 1/16
,, ,, fond.	,,	1 3/8	
Sednaui Zariffa Nahas ...	,,	2 15/16	
,, ,, ,, fond.	,,	2 1/4	
Chemins de Fer			
Delta Railway ...	£	9 3/8	
Lots Turcs ...	F.	166 —	
Ramleh ...	£	4 1/2	
Societes des Eaux			
Eaux d'Alexandrie ...	£	10 3/4	ex.c.
Eaux du Caire capital ...	F.	105 —	
,, ,, jouissance	,,	178 —	179
,, de Tantah ...	£	6 —	
Navigation a Vapeur			
Anglo-American Nile ...	£	2 3/16	1/4
Nile Transport ...	,,	— —	
Tramways et Omnibus			
Tramways d'Alexandrie ...	F.	141 —	282
,, du Caire ...	,,	— —	
Omnibus-Automobiles ...	£	2 1/16	
,, ,, fondateur	,,	3 1/2	Nom.
Societes Foncieres			
Daira Sanieh nouvelle ...	£	12 3/4	
Crédit Foncier Actions...	F.	682 —	
,, ,, fond. 1/10 ...	,,	705 —	
,, ,, anc. 3 % à Lots	,,	271 —	
,, ,, nouvelle ...	,,	250 —	
Béhéra ...	£	20 1/4	
,, priv. ...	,,	4 1/16	
Delta Land ...	,,	1 1/16	
Wardan Estate ...	,,	3 1/4	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	3 1/2	
Nile Land ...	,,	8 —	
Ang.-Egyp. Land Allotments	,,	1 15/16	2
,, ,, ,, fond.	P.T.	45 —	
Societes Immobilieres			
Egyptian Markets ...	£	22/	22/3
Cie Immobilière ...	F.	295 —	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	430 —	
Entreprise Development ...	£	6 1/2	
,, ,, ,, fond.	,,	7 5/8	
Improvements Corporation ...	,,	2 1/2	
New Egyptian Cy. ...	,,	9/ -	
Agricole du Nil ...	F.	158 —	1 7/16
Egyptian Estates ...	£	— 3/8	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	1 3/4	7/8
Sté. d'Ent. Imm. & de Travaux	,,	1 —	
,, ,, ,, fond.	P.T.	15 —	
Helouan (Egypt) Development	£	— 1/8	3/16
Economical Residences...	,,	2 1/2	
Heliopolis ...	F.	202 —	203
,, fondateur ...	£	10 1/4	
Egypt. Land Inv. & Buil. Co....	,,	— 5/16	
,, ,, ,, fond.	,,	— 3/8	
Aboukir Land ...	,,	28/3 —	
Societes Industrielles			
Crown Brewery d'Alexandrie...	F.	120 —	80
,, ,, du Caire ...	,,	70 —	22-23
Cotton Mills ...	£	1/ —	1/3
Salt & Soda ...	,,	12/6	
Société des Ciments ...	F.	22 —	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	9 —	
Spinning ...	£	— 1/4	
Walker & Meimarachi ...	,,	— 1/4	
Egyptian Constructions ...	,,	— 1/4	
Frigorifiques ...	,,	3 —	
Hotels			
Nungovich Hotels ...	£	13 7/8	
Egyptian Hotels ...	,,	4 —	
Upper Egypt ...	,,	2 5/16	3/8
National Hotels...	,,	2 1/8	
,, ,, fondateur ...	P.T.	12 —	
Valeurs diverses			
Bourse Khédiviale ...	£	20 —	Nom.
Menzaleh act. ...	,,	2 1/2	
,, ,, fondateur ...	P.T.	25 —	
Artesian Boring...	£	3 —	Nom.
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	— —	
Anglo-Belgian ...	,,	4 —	
Caffari's Market ...	,,	— 1/2	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	1 —	Nom.
Valeurs non cotees			
Eg. Inv. & Agency Ltd. (Abdy)	£	— 3/8	
Eg. Land & Gen. Trust (Hooker)	,,	— 3/16	
Nile Cold Storage ...	,,	— 1/4	5/16
Union Foncière ...	,,	4 1/8	
Urbaine Rurale d'Alexandrie...	,,	3 5/16	
Splendid Hotels...	,,	2 1/4	
Sucreries et Raffinerie d'Egypte	F.	35 —	
Khédivial Mail ...	£	4 —	20/
Land Bank ...	,,	7 1/8	3/16
Western Egypt. Corp. (Oasis)...	,,	— 3/8	
United Eg. Land ...	,,	— 3/16	
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	— 1/2	
Ritz Hotels ...	,,	— 3/8	7/16
Express Nile Steamers...	,,	1 1/4	
,, ,, ,, fond.	P.T.	20 —	
Excelsior Hotels...	£	1 15/16	2
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	— 3/16	
Syrian Land ...	,,	— 5/8	11/16
,, ,, fondateur ...	,,	10 —	
Anglo-Egypt. Finance ...	,,	— 1/8	3/16
Ghezireh Mansions ...	,,	— 3/16	
De Vries & Boutigny Limited...	,,	— 5/16	
,, ,, ,, fond.	,,	7 1/4	Nom.
Société Agricole Industrielle ...	F.	800 —	
Bateaux-Omnibus ...	£	3 —	
,, ,, fondateur ...	F.	100 —	

AVIS

N.B.—Les affaires d'aujourd'hui seront réglées demain.

Direction Generale des DOUANES EGYPTIENNES

Tarif d'Exportation pour le mois de Décembre 1907

DESIGNATION		Unité	Prix du mois courant L.E.	M.
Coton ...	p.	cantar	3	285
Graines de Coton...	,,	ardeb	0	810
,, Harari...	,,	cantar	0	275
Blés Saidi et Béhéra ...	,,	ardeb	1	125
Fèves Saidi et Béhéra ...	,,	,,	1	035
Lentilles ...	,,	,,	1	170
Maïs...	,,	,,	0	7[illegible]
Orge...	,,	,,	0	90[illegible]
Pois chiches ...	,,	,,	1	500
,, petits pois...	,,	,,	1	200
,, ,, concassés	,,	,,	1	400
,, lbé ...	,,	,,	1	500
Riz (avec emb.) ...	,,	,,	2	300
Riz en paille...	,,	kilo	0	6
Riz brut ...	,,	,,	0	[illegible]
Farine No. 1 à 3 (80 okes)	,,	sac	1	300
Sucre blanc (en pains) ...	,,	cantar	0	600
,, ,, (grand moro.)	,,	,,	0	540
,, ,, (en poudre) No. 1	,,	,,	0	440
,, rouge (Farchout) en pains	,,	,,	0	260
,, ,, ,, en poudre	,,	,,	0	240
Cotons Afrité et écart pour Turquie ...	,,	,,	1	500

Credit Foncier Egyptien

Messieurs les Actionnaires sont convoqués à l'Assemblée Générale Ordinaire qui aura lieu le Vendredi 31 Janvier 1908 à 3 heures de l'après-midi au Siège Social au Caire.

ORDRE DU JOUR :

1°. Lecture du Rapport du Conseil d'Administration sur les affaires sociales ;
2°. Lecture du Rapport des Censeurs ;
3°. Approbation des comptes et fixation du dividende pour l'exercice 1907 ;
4°. Nomination d'Administrateurs ;
5°. Nomination de deux Censeurs pour l'exercice 1908

Tout porteur de 50 actions a le droit d'assister à l'Assemblée Générale et conformément à l'article 28 des statuts, les actions devront être déposées :

En Egypte : au plus tard le 30 Janvier 1908.
En Europe : au plus tard le 20 Janvier 1908.

Les dépôts seront reçus :—
au Caire : au Siège Social ;
à Alexandrie: au Crédit Lyonnais ;
en Europe: à la Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas, au Crédit Lyonnais, à la Société Générale pour favoriser le développement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France, au Comptoir National d'Escompte, à la Société Générale de Crédit Ind. & Commercial.

31589-5*-2

Daira Khassa du Khedive

AVIS

La Daïra Khassa du Khédive a l'honneur d'informer le Public que l'Horaire des Trains circulant sur la ligne du Mariout sera modifié à partir du 1er Janvier 1908 d'après les Tableaux affichés aux Gares respectives de la dite Ligne et aux Bureaux de la Délegation de la Daïra Khassa à Alexandrie.

Un train express fera journellement le service entre Alexandrie (Bab el Guédid) et El Omaied et vice-versa.

Des billets sont délivrés aux voyageurs valables pour le jour même à destination des Gares du Chemin de fer de l'Etat, auprès desquelles est etabli directement avec la Ligne du Mariout, un échange de voyageurs.

Les voyageurs peuvent transporter leurs bagages par ce même train ; quant aux transports privilégiés mentionnés aux tableaux précités,ils peuvent être effectués par le dit train express et aux prix de la petite vitesse. 31599-3-A-3

Societe Anonyme des Eaux du Caire

AVIS

Les porteurs des certificats provisoires aux nouvelles actions de Jouissance émises en Juin 1907 sont informés que le solde de la souscription, soit Frs. 90 ou P.T. 347,175 par action est payable le 1er Janvier 1908.

Les versements devront être effectués au Caire, au siège de la Société, Avenue de Boulaq ou Alexandrie au Guichet du Crédit Lyonnais où, en m me temps, les certificats provisoires seront echangés contre les titres définitifs.

En cas de retard dans les versements, il y aura lieu de plein droit à l'application de l'article II des statuts ainsi conçu :

Art. II. — A défaut de versement aux époques déterminées, l'intérêt court de plein droit à la charge de l'actionnaire, à raison de six pour cent par an, pour chaque jour de retard.

Le retardataire est mis en demeure d'effectuer ses paiements par un avis inséré dans un des journaux désignés à l'article 8 ; cet avis indique les numéros des actions en retard.

Faute par l'actionnaire de se libérer dans le délai d'un mois, et sans qu'il soit nécessaire de recourir à aucune formalité de justice, ni d'ajouter à ce laps d'un mois aucun délai en raison des distances,les actions en retard seront vendues publiquement sur duplicata, dans la forme qu'indiquera le Conseil d'Administration, le tout sans préjudice du droit que la Société conserve de poursuivre personnellement l'actionnaire en retard.

Les titres primitifs des actions ainsi vendues sont nuls de plein droit. En conséquence toute action qui ne porte pas la mention régulière des versements qui ont dû être opérés, cesse d'être admissible à la négociation et au transfert.

Le Directeur,
ASTLEY P. FRIEND

31198-5*-4 Le Caire, le 5 Décembre 1907.

Khedivial Mail Steamship and Graving Dock Company, Limited.

Notice is hereby given that at the Annual General Meeting of this Company held in London on the 9th December 1907, it was decided to pay a dividend of 10 per cent on the Ordinary Shares for the year ending 30th June 1907.

Holders of Share Warrants to bearer will be paid their dividend at the rate of 2/- per share, less income tax, against presentation of Coupon No. 5 on and after the 31st December 1907 at the Imperial Ottoman Bank, Alexandria, or at Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. Lombard Street, London, E.C.

Registered Holders of Ordinary Shares will receive their Dividend Warrants by post.

Alexandria 20th December 1907. 31577-10-9

Societe Anonyme du Behera

AVIS

Messieurs les Porteurs d'Obligations et d'Actions Privilégiées sont informés que les Coupons échéant le premier Janvier prochain (Coupons N° 27 des Obligations et Coupons N° 6 des Actions Privilégiées) seront payés aux Etablissements ci-après désignés.

à Alexandrie à la National Bank of Egypt.
à Londres à l'Anglo Foreign Banking Co Ltd. 2, Bishopsgate Street Within. London E.C.
à Bruxelles à la Société Belge de Crédit I. et Commer. et de Dépôts 60 Rue Royale Bruxelles

L'Administrateur-Directeur
E.W P. FOSTER.

Alexandrie, le 28 Décembre 1907. 31622-3A.-2

Societe Internationale des Employes D'ALEXANDRIE

SIÈGE SOCIAL RUE SIDI EL METWALLI No. 30 ET RUE HAMMAM EL ZAHAB No. 1 AU 1ER ETAGE

BUREAU DE PLACEMENT

5. — Comptable correspondant accepterait place aux villages ou au Caire.
6. — Ancien employé de magasins de confection cherche place. Très bonnes références.
7. — Aide-comptable d'agence de Bourse cherche place.
9. — Jeune homme, honnête et actif, connaissant bien le français et l'italien, 19 ans, cherche emploi.
10.—Jeune homme, 20 ans, initié au commerce, honnête et actif, connaissant l'italien et le français et un peu l'allemand cherche emploi.
12.—Professeur de français cherche leçons.
13.—Ancien chef de rayon d'ameublements dans une grande maison d'Europe cherche même situation en Egypte. Il parle et écrit quatre langues.
16.—Monsieur connaissant parfaitement bien l'anglais et parlant 3 autres langues cherche des leçons d'anglais ou un emploi dans un bureau.
17.—Professeur d'anglais cherche des leçons.
18.—On demande au Caire un employé chez un armurier.
19.—On demande une apprentie couturière et une très bonne ouvrière couturière. S'adresser chez Mme Mollet 15 rue Nabi Daniel de 11 h. a.m. à 12 1/2.
20.—Un anglais disposant de ses après-midis cherche occupation dans un bureau ou des leçons.
21.—Ancien employé de Maison de change cherche travail dans un bureau et s'offre à faire des encaissements à la commission pour compte de tiers. Il est muni de certificats attestant son honnêteté et son intelligence. Il parle et écrit le français et l'arabe.
22.—Un homme très recommandé par un Monsieur honorable et connaissant bien le français, le grec, l'italien et la comptabilité cherche emploi dans un bureau ou magasin. Il accepterait la place de surveillant de constructions.

N B.—Pour tous renseignements s'adresser au Siège Social de la Société, Rue Sidi el Metwalli N°. 30 et Rue Hammam el Zahab N°. 1 au 1er Etage.

Le Secrétariat est ouvert tous les jours, excepté les dimanches et jours de fête, de 7 h. 1/2 à 8 h 1/2 du soir.

Les insertions ci-dessus sont faites gratuitement par les soins de la Société et seuls les sociétaires peuvent en bénéficier.

Les personnes qui adressent des demandes à la Société, sont priées de joindre un timbre pour la réponse. 9-4-907

UNION DRAGOMANS' SOCIETY.

HARET EL ZAHAR
(OPPOSITE SHEPHEARD'S HOTEL) OR BOX N°9.P.O.
Telegraphic address
"Union Dragomans."

NOTICE TO TOURISTS.

We beg to inform all Ladies and Gentlemen Tourists that after having taken in serious consideration the latest comments on the behaviour of Dragomans, we have formed the above Society for the safety and satisfaction of our patrons.

Our Society is composed of the best known respectable Dragomans, Guides and Couriers, well acquainted with the business, the necessary languages, the ways, the history of ruined monuments, not only of Egypt but as well of Holy Land, Greece, Turkey and Europe. Contracts can be made for the Nile, Camping in the Desert, to Holy Land, Greece, Turkey and Europe.

WARNING !!!

All members of our union bear a permit from the Government given to them after a strict examination on their ability and good behaviour, see that your Dragoman produces to you with the said permit, a card of Membership of our Union, and to avoid trouble and confusion have the right man to meet you on your disembarkation. Each member of this union whose name is in the paper is entitled to wear a button on his jacket with the Initials (U.D.S)

CABLE "DRAGUNION"
CAIRO.

NAMES.

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Emprunt 4 % Chemins de Fer Helleniques

AVIS

PAIEMENT DU COUPON

Messieurs les détenteurs des Obligations 4% sont informés que le Coupon de l'Emprunt 1902 échéance 1er Janvier 1908 sera payé à raison de Francs 10.- à partir du 1er Janvier 1908 au Caire et à Alexandrie, à la National Bank of Egypt. 31588-7-7

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AVIS

Il est porté à la connaissance des Actionnaires que les Certificats Provisoires des Actions et Lettres de Répartition entièrement libérés peuvent être échangés contre des Titres au Porteur à partir du 2 Janvier 1908 au bureau de Messrs. Russell, Kerr & Wyatt, 6, Rue de l'Ancienne Bourse, Alexandrie, de dix heures à midi. 31629-3-2

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NOTICE.

The Egyptian State Railways have the honour to inform the Public that commencing from Wednesday January 1st 1908, a new passenger train will run daily between Alexandria and El-Emaid (Mariout Railways) and back as follows ;—

No. 10 MARIOUT

STATIONS.	arr. a.m.	dep. a.m.
Alexandria ...	—	11.30
Hadra ...	pass	11.35
Nouzha ...	11.39	11.41
Farz ...	pass	11.46
Forn-el-Guereyah ...	pass	11.52
	p.m.	p.m.
Mouasla Junction ...	12. 8	12.10
Amrieh ...	12.30	12.32
Ekingi Mariout ...	12.37	12.39
Bahig ...	1. 3	1. 5
Hamam ...	1. 29	1.34
El-Emaïd ...	2. —	—

No. 9. MARIOUT

STATIONS.	arr. p.m.	dep. p.m.
El-Emaïd ...	—	2.45
Hamam ...	3 11	3.13
Bahig ...	3.39	3.41
Ekingi Mariout ...	4. 3	4. 5
Amrieh ...	4.10	1.12
Mouasla Junction ...	4.32	4.34
Forn-El-Guerayah ...	pass	4.49
Farz ...	pass	4.55
Nouzha ...	5.—	5. 2
Hadra ...	pass	5. 6
Alexandria ...	5.11	—

Cairo, 25th December 1907. 31617-2-2

NOTICE.

The Egyptian State Railways have the honour to inform the Public that owing to the running of a new passenger train between Alexandria and El-Emaid (Mariout Railway) from 1st January, 1908 the timings of opening Nouzha Bridge will be modified as follows:—

from 6.10 a.m. up to 7.10 a.m.
,, 9.40 a.m up to 11.20 a.m.
,, 3.35 p.m. up to 4.35 p.m.

Cairo, 28th December 1907. 31626-2-2

Administration des Chemins de Fer de l'Etat

AVIS

L'Administration des Chemins de fer de l'Etat a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du public qu'elle recevra jusqu'au dix janvier 1908, à midi au plus tard des offres pour la fourniture de six mille sacs ayant les dimensions de 1m. 40 x 0m. 70 (un mètre quarante de long sur soixante-dix centimètres de large), livrables franco dans les Magasins généraux de Boulac (Caire) dans un délai de quinze jours à partir de la date de la commande.

Les soumissionnaires devront donner leur prix en monnaie Egyptienne par cent sacs et remettre aux susdits Magasins un échantillon des sacs qu'ils se proposent de fournir.

Pour être admis à concourir, le soumissionnaire devra verser au préalable à la Caisse Centrale de l'Administration au Caire, une somme de L.E. 10 (dix Livres Egyptiennes) à titre de dépôt provisoire. Le soumissionnaire déclaré adjudicataire devra parfaire cette somme jusqu'à concurrence du 10 % (dix pour cent) du montant de la valeur de la commande et ce dans les vingt quatre heures de l'avis de l'acceptation de son offre.

Les offres devront être accompagnées d'une feuille de papier timbré de trente millièmes, ainsi que du reçu constatant le versement du dépôt provisoire et seront adressées, par la poste, sous pli recommandé, à :—

"Monsieur le Chef du Service des Magasins Généraux des Chemins de Fer de l'Etat à Boulac, Caire,"

et sous double enveloppe, l'intérieure portant la suscription suivante :—

"Offre pour Fourniture de 6000 sacs."

L'Administration ne s'engage pas à accepter l'offre la plus basse ni à donner suite aux soumissions présentées et elle se réserve le droit de diviser la commande.

Le Caire, le 18 Décembre 1907. 31566-2-1

AVIS

L'Administration a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du Public qu'à partir du 29 courant, les bureaux télégraphiques suivants relevant du Delta Light Railway seront ouverts, celui d'Ariamoun pour les télégrammes en langues Européennes et Arabe et ceux de Toda et de Shalma pour les télégrammes en langue Arabe.

Le Caire, le 27 Décembre 1907. 34628-2-1

Alexandria General Produce Association.

MODIFICATION DANS LES LETTRES-CONTRATS RELATIVE AU PAIEMENT DES LIQUIDATIONS

L'Assemblée Générale Extraordinaire du 13 Décembre 1907, a décidé de modifier le passage dans les Lettres-Contrats page 13 comme suit :

Les différences dues à chaque liquidation bimensuelle ou extraordinaire devront être payées au plus tard le troisième jour de la date à laquelle la liquidation aura été fixée.

Celles dues par les Clients seront payées à leur Courtier avant 10 heures du matin et celles dues par les Courtiers à leurs Clients, après 3 heures de l'après-midi.

Cette modification entrera en vigueur en même temps que le Règlement du Clearing-House que l'Association des Courtiers en Marchandises doit établir. 31616-3-3

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Sandow's Developers,
Camp Beds, etc. etc.

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Underclothing Hosiery, etc. etc.

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Blankets, Eiderdown Quilts and Cushions, Sheets, Pillow Slips, Calicos, Viyella Flannels, etc.

EXPORT MANIFESTS.

For MARSEILLES, by the S.S. Portugal, sailed on the 20th December :

FOR MARSEILLES

Stienon, 22 bales empty bags
Bittar, 6 bales old zinc
Lemal, 19 packages furniture
Zayan, 35 packages old copper
Bonan, 18 bags wool
Tilche, 281 bags auriferous earth
Salt and Soda Co., 50 barrels oil
Chafchak, 2 cases books

Bonded Stores,	66	cases eggs
Amaragi,	17	„ „
Perdicachi,	50	„ „

P. L. Rolin, 10 pieces copper
L. Onofrio, 27 cases eggs
Various, 56 packages sundries

G. Frauger and Co.,	127	bales cotton
R. and O Lindemann,	204	„ „
H. Bindernagel,	50	„ „
Peel and Co.,	93	„ „
F. Andres,	60	„ „
Schmid and Co.,	31	„ „
G. Petracchi and Co.,	64	„ „
Choremi, Benachi and Co.,	30	„ „
	659	bales cotton

FOR HAVRE

Carver Bros. and Co Ltd,	50	bales cotton
R. and O. Lindemann,	100	„ „
	150	bales cotton

FOR VARIOUS PORTS

Southard, 23 barrels cognac
Various, 11 packages sundries

For BRINDISI and TRIESTE, by the S.S. Habsburg, sailed on the 21st December :

R. and O. Lindemann,	405	bales cotton
J. Planta and Co.,	496	„ „
Carver Bros. and Co. Ltd,	290	„ „
Peel and Co.,	68	„ „
A. Hess and Co.,	31	„ „
W. Trapp and Co.,	31	„ „
F. Andres and Co.,	155	„ „
W. Getty and Co.,	30	„ „
P. Hahnloser and Co.,	353	„ „
Mohr and Fenderl,	94	„ „
Schmid and Co.,	145	„ „
Choremi, Benachi and Co.,	90	„ „
	2188	bales cotton

A. Dreher, 434 empty casks
A. Bircher, 10 bales senna
Dimitrino and Co., 8 cases cigarettes
N. E. Tamvaco, 3,098 bags cotton seed
R. Delia, 309 crates tomatoes
Sté Le Khédive, 13 cases cigarettes
Moh. Dahi, 107 crates tomatoes
P. M. Statira, 8 bales skins
Is. Achmani, 9 bales skins
Ib. Deff, 79 crates tomatoes
B. Zaar, 63 empty casks
M Kattab, 40 crates tomatoes
S. A. Kara, 81 crates tomatoes
S. Petsaly, 13 crates tomatoes
G. Brach and Co., 19 bales gum, 16 bales wax
Klink and Lauer, 7 barrels fresh fish
M. Abou Moussa, 6 bags henna
Kyriazi Bros., 4 cases cigarettes
Dimitrino and Co., 6 cases cigarettes
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Various, 32 packages sundries

For MALTA and ROTTERDAM, by the S.S Anatolia, sailed on the 21st December :

FOR BREMEN

Various, 2,088 tons cotton seed, 50 bales wax, 35 bales gum, 78 packages sundries

FOR ROTTERDAM

Various, 86 bales wax

For SYRIA, by the S.S. Menzaleh, sailed on the 21st December :

Various, 500 bales cotton (for Kobe), 300 bales cotton (for Yokohama), 37 bales skins, 1,793 bags rice, 12 bags henna, 16 bags soap, 20 bags beans, 50 bags sugar, 95 bags coffee, 12 bags henna, 125 bags Sudan beans, 30 cases butter, 6 cases cigarettes, 30 barrels soda, 16 barrels herrings, 10 packages ironmongery, 29 packages vegetables, 678 packages sundries

For SYRIA, by the S.S. Euterpe, sailed on the 22nd December :

M. Hadre, 560 empty casks
Various, 14 packages sundries

For PORT SAID, by the S.S. Nilo, sailed on the 22nd December :

FOR PORT SAID

N. G. I., 12 packages furniture
E. Protopapas and Co., 3 cases cigarettes

FOR BOMBAY

G. Petracchi and Co.,	100	bales cotton
W. Trapp and Co.,	50	„ „
	150	bales cotton

For CONSTANTINOPLE, by the S.S. Magda, sailed on the 22nd December :

Various, 78 bales skins, 30 bales empty bags, 150 bags rice, 50 empty casks, 40 packages sundries

For MARSEILLES, by the S.S. Frossos, sailed on the 23rd December :

N. E. Tamvaco, 1,490,261 kilos cotton seed

SUCRES

Visible Supply

		1907	1906
Angleterre	T.	143,550	127,450
France	„	616,600	796,400
Allemagne	„	1,101,620	1,090,530
Hambourg	„	74,380	96,310
Autriche	„	860,200	707,280
Hollande	„	59,300	61,000
Belgique	„	155,400	168,270
	T.	3,011,050	3,047,240
Etats-Unis	„	137 000	134,710
Cuba	„	19,000	9,000
Sous Voiles	„	8,360	23,500
Total	T.	3,175 410	3,214,450
Contre Tonnes		3,309,660	pour 1905
„		2,857,450	„ 1904
„		3,575,020	„ 1903

NOLIS

HULL

Céréales	Shgs.	1/3 à —/	
Tourteaux	„	4/6 „ —/	
Graines de coton	„	5/ „ —/	
Oignons	„	— „ —/	

LONDRES

Céréales	Shgs.	1/3 à —/
Tourteaux	„	4/6 „ —/
Graines de coton	„	5/6 „ —/
Oignons	„	— „ —/

PORTS DIRECTS

Graines de coton	Shgs.	7/ à —/
Céréales	„	1/6 „ —/

LIVERPOOL

Coton	Shgs.	11/ à —/
Céréales	„	2/ „ —/
Tourteaux	„	5/6 „ —/
Graines de coton	„	6/6 —/
Oignons	„	— „ —/

CONTINENT (NANTES-DUNKERQUE)

Graines de coton (Dunkerque)	Fr. 10 à
„ „ (Nantes)	10
Fèves	10
Oignons	

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St. Petersbourg	„ 25.—	
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Alexandrie, le 26 décembre 1907.

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„	Hastings	23/6	„ —/
	West Hartley Main	23/6	„ —/
SCOTCH	Merry's	23/	„ —/
„	Bairds	23/	„ —/
„	Dunlops	23/	„ —/
„	Best Hamilton Ell	23/	„ —/
YORKSHIRE	Micklefield	23/	„ —/
LIVERPOOL	Best Lancashire	23/	„ —/
„	Second Lancashire	—/	„ —/
PATENT FUEL	Anchor	27/	„ —/
„	Crown	27/	„ —/
„	Star	27/	„ —/
„	Arrow	27/	„ —/
„	Swansea Graigola	27/	„ —/
„	Swansea, Atlantic	27/	„ —/
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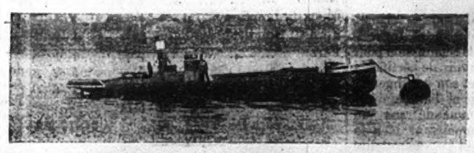
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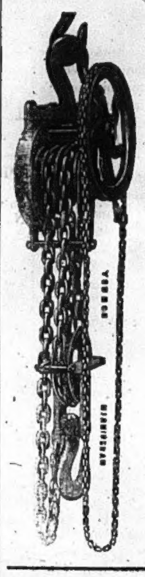
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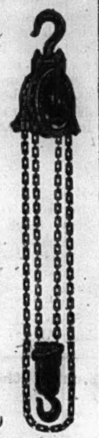
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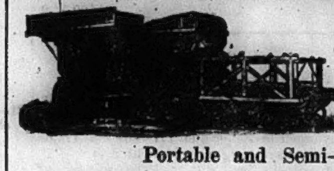
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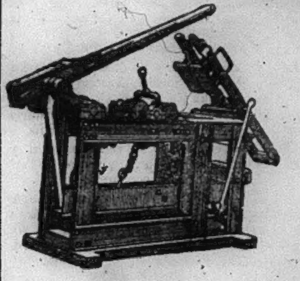
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